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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955.

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COMMENT OF

SURPRISE MOVE BY 'ARUBA'

Frozen Meat **Prices**

prices smacks more of a than an explanation why, within 24 hours of officialdom moving out of the wholesale meat trade, tails prices advanced in an alarming manner.

The public are persunded that private wholesale (dealers have higher costs to meet than Government operating in the same field Moreover, Government was never bothered with that vexing problem of making profit from enpital outlay. It also enjoyed the advantage of slightly cheaper refrigeration storage charges (though why, is not explained.)

It is these factors, together with that all-important one of variable demand for frozen stock meat, which the public must expect to influence retail prices. This, as we have already indicated is understandable (though) ciated that the cost of imported frozen ment to the time of contract

MUCII less clear is, if AVA Government sold the balance of its frozen meat! stocks to traders at the end of last month at a price loss on certain items, principally beef crops," why the husband was Counsellor at the that the wholesalers made a don loday." satisfactory deal with Gov. The West German Foreign Government's discom- return. fiture) and that the ment prices.

for the Colony has been Schlitter. by the private traders' desire to take over that responsibility in all signation in January after he which lurid testimony was ex- border line zone," of trading. The as to make necessary and the British press. unsolicited sacrifice on the part of consumers.

silent about current com- Chancellor would prices for frozen meat, but post-outside London. public know about it. Ment, who are still in Britain. to the vast majority of and is therefore a key item were returning to London, The goodwill and under-|business.")-Reuter standing of the public is surely as important to meat traders as it is to other doubts can best be set aside by ready and frank exprice increases.

Refusal To Enter Area War Operations FROM COLOMBO

Helsinki, Mar. 15. The Finnish Seamen's Union, which has maintained contact with the Finnish tanker Aruba now on her way to China with a valuable cargo of 13,000 tons of fuel, today received a telegram from the crew saying they refused to enter

The tanker is approaching Ceylon and it is thought she may remain there. This would be a solution of the Aruba crisis anticipated by many observers.—The Times News Service (Copyright).

Call Girl Trial

The prosecution opened its

good deal of money" through

Miss Pat Ward, the prosecu-

THEN SHE ANSWERED

General Sessions Judge Francis

When the session was resumed

The Judge told her to answer

Judge Valente and the defence,

all questions she answered at

the first trial two years ago. But

he told her she could refuse to

reply to questions not answered

before and he would decide

Lawrence Greenbaum, identified

by the defence as a bookmaker.

Strict Security

Moscow, Mar. 15.

She said she had a child by a

whether she had to reply.

-Reuter.

compulsory prostitution.

BONN CAUGHT OFF GUARD

an area of war operations.

No. 36074

especially as it is appreciated that the cost of im-Hongkong is also governed Returns To London

Bonn, Mar. 15. The West German Foreign Office was caught off guard today by reports of the sudden departure for London of diplomat Oskar Schlitter and his wife Dalsysaid to have remarked that Britain was "enemy which "involved substantial territory" at a London Christmas party last year.

shop prices for those ments West German Embassy in Lonshould have risen so sharply | don, sent a statement to British during the first week of journalists here saying she and March. The assumption is her husband "returned to Lon- STAR WITHESS

ernment teven if it were at Offic knew nothing about their

German Government officials could have been retailed at telephoned British correspona reasonable profit without dents to ask them for the text

It is proper to remind our- is ued a curt statement that Dr adjourned today when the pro- blockade, selves that Government's Konrad Adennuer, the Chan- secution's star witness refused anxiety to rid itself of the cellor, had not yet decided to answer any questions that

'PRIVATE BUSINESS'

and his wife, a former beauty pected. queen, were called home to transfer, however, should answer questions about the case by saying that it would not be done in such a way "enemy territory" remarks in prove that Jelke had "made a

Foreign office sources said Dr Adenauer's instructions were that Herr Schlitter should stay out tion's star witness then refused of the public eye until the fuss to answer when asked if she THE Trade has remained had died down. Then the had borne a child out of wedconsider lock plaints relating to higher whether to give him another

it is hoped this will not Fellow diplomats were there. Valente immediately adjourned become established policy, fore amazed when they heard the trial. If there is substantial that the Schlitters had decided reason for a sudden raising to go to London before the after a conference between of the price ceiling, surely Chancellor had made a decision. it is a good idea to let the Frau Schlitter's letter said she Miss Word resumed her testi-

(In London, the German Empeople, is a daily necessity, bassy said that if Herr Schlitter in every household budget, could only be for "private

Sydney, Mar. 15. The Maitland City Council merchants. Suspicion and decided today to remove sections of the flood-devastated town to higher ground at an estimated cost of £15,000,000. planations about unexpected The project is expected to take five years.—United Press.

Measures For Europeans Plan World's U.K. Embassy Biggest Atomic Plant New security measures at

Oslo, Mar. 15. Western European nations cooperating in atomic research work plan to build the world's largest proton accelerator in Geneva, a leading Norwegian scientist said tonight,

Mr Odd Dahl, an engineer engaged in the joint research work, made the announcement at the 25th annual meeting of the Christian Michelson Institute of Sciences in Bergen.

He said the gigantle research apparatus was being built to provide Europe with experimental facilities on a par with those in the United States and thus reduce the exodus of ecientific men to America. The research outoperative began as a joint Norwegian and Dutch enterprise, but other nations, including France, are the British Embassy have now participating in the work which centres around the experimental atom pile at Kjeller, near Oslo.

It had been planned to build Ambassador, bir William Haythe new proton accelerator ter. with 40 times the energy of Am olarm bell system will be the largest completed Ameri- installed connecting the front. can plant, Mr Dahl said.

sized apparatus which could bassy is closed. be completed in half the time. British officials, however, re- documents He said a large experimental main unalarmed and attach no

Washington, Mar. 15. The US Secretary of State, Mr John Foster Dulles, today ruled out any immediate action by the Seventh Fleet to intercept a cargo of fuel on its way to Commun.st Chana in the Finnish tanker, Aruba.

The United States was not at present operating a military and naval blockade of the Chinese Communist coast and therefore, unless there was a change of policy, the use of the Seventh Ficet in these circumstances would not be consistent with present policy, he told his news conference.

Mr Dulles had been asked to comment on a demand by Senator William Knowland, the Republican leader in the Senate. that the shipment of fuel should be stopped, if necessary by the US Navy.

PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY He said that under the Con-

REFUSED gressional resolution permitting the President to use United States forces to protect Formosa, TESTIFY the Pescadores and related areas, he believed President Eisenhower New York, Mar. 15. did have the authority to issue The second trial on procuring such an order to the fleet but | drustic increase in of the statement signed "Dalsy charges of Minot (Mickey) he added it was not the policy Parliamentary Group when Jelke, 25-year-old heir to a of the United States to use the the Party's MPs meet to-The Foreign Office later Margarine fortune, was suddenly resolution to impose a naval

Asked if United States seizure burdens of "keeping shop" whether to reinstate Herr "might tend to incriminate me." of the cargo would constitute an Speciators had formed a long act of war, Mr Dulles replied he queue outside the courtroom be- doubted that it would, although The diplomat offered his re- fore the start of the trial at the situation would be in "the commendation.

past there had been so-called minds for these reasons: "peaceful blackades" and he said that shipment of the fuel to Communist China was a violation of the United Nations embargo on strategic materials.

Though Finland was not a member of the United Nations, one could very well argue that action taken to enforce the United Nations resolution would not be an act of war.—Reuter.

Key Rumanian Woman Flees From Reds

Vienna, Mar. 15. A woman associate of Rumania's top Communist leaders has escaped an Iron Curtain Police dragnet in Vienna and fled to the West with her sick child, the Austrian Police said tonight.

The fleeing mother and child were identified as Mrs Nora Grecul, 34, said to have been associated with top Communist

American officials here for Labour and Conservative Parties scene of an attack by a Russian asylum after narrowly escaping will put up candidates for seats of masked attackers burst into gunman on Sunday — were ar capture by Rumanian secret ranged today at a conference of agents in the streets of Vienna. senior officials, called by the They were reported to have 37 seats, and the extreme right stricken clients. Two Frenchtaken refuge in a church before reaching safety.

Austrian officials said Mrs Prosse. hall with the staff quarters at Grocul, close to a nervous break-But because it would take seven the rear where British security down, reported that she had guards live.

The Queen Mother been followed through Vienna by into operation, it had been The front door will in future Rumanian agents who took decided to build a medium- always be locked when the Em- photographs of her and stole her handbag containing her personal,

Numerous attempts were made atomic reactor would also be importance to the shooting in- to lure her back to Communist generated by the reactor suggestion that the gumman long-distance telephone, call would be used to produce who burst in had intended to purported to have come from electric power.—Chima Mail attack the Ambanador:—Reu- her husband in Rumania.— spent the week-end with wounding an Algerian.—United Special.

United From.



Princess Margaret waves to the crowd as she stands on the Mansion House balcony with the Lord Mayor of London, Alderman Sir Seymour Howard, soon after her arrival for the welcome back hincheon given by the Lord Mayor and City Corporation.

BEVAN IN OR OUT? Latest Survey Of

Labour Feeling London, Mar. 15. Left-wing Leader Mr Aneurin Bevan appeared tonight to be headed for expulsion from the Labour

morrow in a special session. Party chiefs estimated that of the 280 Labour MPs sounded house.—China Mail Special. out of a total of 293 members in the Parliamentary Group, 140 would back the expulsion re-

However, Parliamentary circles thought some of the anti-He pointed out that in the Bevanites might change their

(1) Leading Bevanites were understood to have advised the left-wing leader to emphasise at tomorrow's meeting that he was not challenging Mr Clement Attlee's authority.

(2) The local constituency a continued pressure on the MPs against expulsion. (3) The position of Mr

Attlee himself may conceivably all around Casablanca and work against the expulsion Oujda to search in-coming and recommendation. It was learned over the week-end that Mr gers. Radio vans patrolled the Attlee had opposed the recommendation during the "shadow cabinet" meeting. If the Parliamentary group to step in.

does endorse the expulsion move the Party will suffer its worst crisis since 1931 when the then and three wounded in Oujda last Labour Prime Minister, Mr night, presumably by anti-Ramsay MacDonald broke with French extremists. Two Morochis party to form a "National cans were wounded by terrorists Government" in coalition with there, probably in retaliation for the Conservatives and Liberals. last night's bloodshed. -France-Presso.

Reds To Contest LCC Elections

London, Mar. 15. Thirteen Communists will be a hospital in Casablanca from among the 315 candidates for bullet wounds sustained on Sunleaders it. Rumania, and her 11- the 126 souts on the London day, County Council in the elections to the held on March 31. The in all the London boroughs, the crowded Sun bar in Outda.
The Liberal Party will fight for firing at random at the panie-"Union Movement" nine. Four Independent candidates will also stand for election.-France-

fort cor, fired at a crowd of Moroccans on the sidowalk of The attack of influence which caused the Queen Mother to, the Mouloudia Club cafe. One cancel her public engagements person was alightly wounded. this week is "aking a riormal . After a sweep through the built in Holland. Heat cident, They discounted any contivity, they said, including a course," it was amounted today, better town, the terrorists opened The Queen Mother is at Royal fire on Moroccons waiting for a Lodge, Windsor, where whe bus outside the bus station.

|He'll Say 'Sorry' With Flowers! Tol-Aviv, Mar. 1d.

To smooth over the memory of being hit on the head with a frying pan, Mrs L. Marai of this town is to receive from her husband a bouduet of roses every week for three months with an attached card saying: "with repentance and love." This was the sentence

pronounced by Magistrate Yascov Bar Ze'ev on the husband, who returned home one night later than his wife thought proper. In the ensuing argument, the husband used the nearest kitchen utensil to show. who was master of the

out-going vehicles and passen-

Two Frenchmen were killed

may have been French vigil-

MURDERERS ESCAPE

Late on Monday night a group

men were killed instantly and

three, including the bor woman

owner, were gravely wounded

The murderers escaped in the

Soveral terrorists, riding in a

by flying bullets.

ensuing confusion.

More Businessmen Leaving For Peking INTEREST IN SINO-BRITISH MISSIONS

Effect Of Hongkong Bank Statement

Our Own Correspondent

London, Mar. 15.

The second party of British businessmen to visit China under the sponsorship of the Sino-British Trade Committee leaves Britain for Hongkong at the end of this week. Fourteen British companies are represented.

Interest in this mission has been heightened by the optimistic remarks about prospects for Anglo-Chinese trade made by the Hon. Cedric Blaker, Chairman of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

100 years."

"As in the past century," he | The Hongkong and Shanghai added, "so now they would in Bank have said in effect they actuality be greater if political are willing to reopen their builsuspicions could be swept out of start again with a "clean sheet." the way."

that it is prepared to resume its

This is important news for British businessmen, since with- creasing trade with China. out the active co-operation of the big British banks operating in the area, Anglo-Chinese trade would be at best a slow and tortuous process.

A CONDITION

But the Hongkong Bank makes fuctory agreement about the on strategic exports to China. closure of its Shanghai branch. relations with British business houses in China since the Geneva conference. It is easier now for companies to interchange members of their staff, but

Potentialities of trade with left in China. The official con-China, said Mr Blaker, "are as cerned is thus virtually a hostage great as they have been for over for the "good behaviour" of the company.

and ideological difficulties and ness in China provided they can This could obviote the risk of So convinced is the Hongkong the Chinese Communists Imand Shanghal Bank that much posing heavy fines on the bank profitable business can be done of some future date for with the Chinese Communists "offences" committed in the past.

British businessmen, however, business in China despite all the are not waiting for a satisfactory difficulties that have been put orrangement to be worked out in its way over the past few between British banks and the Chinese government before laying their own plans for in-

FOLLOW-UP

The businessmen who are leaving for Ching this week-end previous party which visited China recently to investigate the possibility of expanding its offer to start up business trade within the limits set by again conditional upon a satis- the Univert Nations Combargo

The importance of these mis-London sources way the sions according to the Sino-Chinese Communists have been British Trade Committee, is not much more amenable in their in the amount of extra trade they gain in the first instance. but in the fact that the initiative for promoting this trade has been taken out of the hands of the Communist-front organisa-Chinese still insist that at least tions, and therefore out of the one responsible official must be field of politics.

The Committee has been encouraged by the fact that Chinese officials in Peking are now less inclined to use visits from British businessmen as an excuse for political propaganda against the United Nations cmbargo. Discussions are confined to purely commercial subjects.

The Chinese would like, of course, to buy capital equipment from Britain, but they realise

TERRORISM FLARES UP IN CASABLANCA

Five Killed And Eight Wounded Casablanca, Mar. 15.

Army and Police patrols took positions guarding there is no point in asking for

Labour parties most of which | strategic points in Casablanca's turbulent native quarter where goods—much less in makare pro-Bevan have kept up tonight as a new wave of terrorism struck French supply—while the United Na-Morocco, leaving five dead and eight wounded in its wake. Hone embargo is still in force. The Police set up road blocks

Smoke all you want, two towns' streets while in the barracks special anti-terrorist Police squads were kept ready you smoke Two Moroccans were killed and three were wounded in Casablasca late last night. Observers believed that the rulders One Moroccan died tonight at

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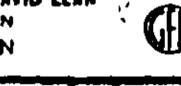
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VIETNAM

Winning Diem Against Religious Sects UNITED FRONT CRACKING

Saigon, Mar. 15. The American-backed Prime Minister, Mr Ngo Dinh Diem, appeared today to have half-won his struggle against Vietnam's three powerful politicoreligious sects struggling to unseat him and to have preserved once more his precarious power in South Vietnam.

Reliable sources said that the united front of the Cao Dai, the Hoa Hao and the Binh Xuyen, who together command private armies of almost 40,000 men, was cracking and that the biggest and strongest of the sects, the Cao Dai, may shortly join forces with the Government.



Where Was Malenkov?

Stockholm, Mar. 15, Mi Georgi Malenkov, now Vie: -Minister for Electro Power Stations, did not take part in talks with a Swedish delegation of electricity experts, who are Vietnamese Army. now touring the Soviet Union. The head of the delegation, · Mr Rake Rusck said on his return to Stockholm today that the 5,000 Hoa Hao and 2,000 Binh People: "This kind of thing is taken over by the State under discussions were presided over by the two Deputy Ministers, Mr Ermakov and Mr Jlatjka.-

SHIPS IDLE IN CALCUTTA

Calcutta, Mar. 15. Forty-four ships lay unattended and waterfront activities week. were suspended in the harbour here today after a strike by

stevedores. Hundreds of cranes stood idle delegates. after the walkoff by s'rikers "widespread allegad violence and mob rule around gales will be some North Viet-

the dock area." Dr B. C. Roy, Chief Minister Vietnam. Sixty seats will be of West Bengal, today urged given to the political, religious shipowners' representatives to and professional groups and to resume work on the stranded the racial minorities. ships to avoid port congestion.

He said the Government were | The Assembly will prepare determined to maintain law and for the establishment of an

in pert next week.—Reuter.

YOURE

GOING ROLND

IN . CIRCLES

This news, together with the absent Emperor Bao Dal's reported refusal to arbitrate in favour of the sects against the Premier, meant that Mr Diem's position was once again reinforced and that there was less likelihood than ever his. Government would be brought down by the flerce factional struggles within the country,

OPEN HOSTILITY

The seets declared open hostility to the Premier when he recently announced a programme of reforms which would strip these semi-feudat groups of much of their power and influence.

But today high Cao Duist sources declared that that sect's disagreement with Mr Diem was "only a question of detail," and that the sect leadership would agree, at least to a certain extent, to a plan drawn up by the special American envoy, General J. Lawton Collins, which calls for the integration of sectarian troops in the National

The Collins plan foresees the incorporation of 6,000 Cao Daists, Xuyen in the national Command. Cao Daists' moderate attitude would seriously weaken the position of the other two party it should pay compensagroups who are against any in- tion for it. tegration whateoever.

Salgon was calm today after nation attempt against Tran decided to pay compensation

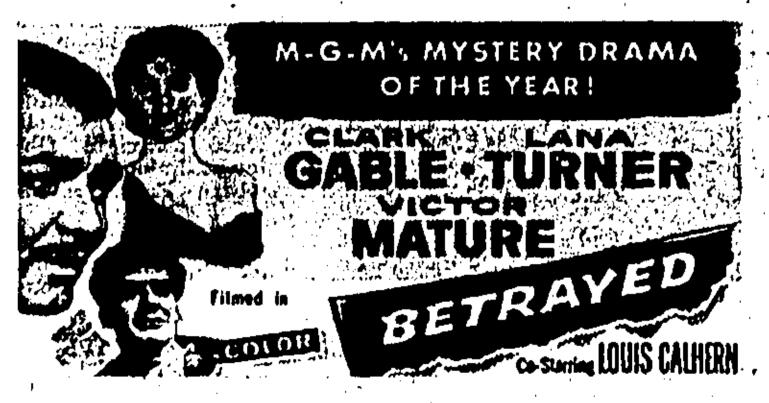
Provisional National Assembly day debate on his motion will be elected early in May, to refer to a select committee officials announced today. The the Government Constitution decree will be promulgated this Amendment Bill.

The Assembly will include the amount and manner of comelected and a few appointed

Among the appointed delenamese now refugees in South

elected Constitutent Assembly, Forty-three more ships are due and will have certain financial powers.—United Press.

COMING! ANOTHER BIG PICTURE!



Night manœuvre







the United States Assistance Advisory Group. It is part of the American plan to maintain close co-operation with the Nationalist Forces. The Department of Defence provides skilled military instructors for training the Chinese—as well as planes, weapons and other equipment. - Express Photo,

No Confiscation Of Foreign

New Delhi, Mar. 15. Mr Nehru, the Indian Prime Minister, said

Parliament agreed to the

motion by 32 votes to nine.—

Radioactivity

Increases

In Canada

There has been a "slight in-

latest series of Atomic tests in

Nevada, United Sintes, tho

Canadian Defence Minister, Mr

Ralph Campney, today told the

He added that this increase did

not constitute any hazard to

human, animal or plant life in

A Socialist Member, Mr Colin

Cameron, asked whether Canada

was prepared to propose in the

The External Affairs Minister,

Mr Lester Pearson, said he could

edd nothing to his statement on

the United Nations would give

House of Commons.

Canada.

Reuter."

O'dawa, Mar. 16.

in radioactivity in

today his Government will not tolerate any plea for the confiscation of foreign capital in India. He told the House of the pensation to be paid for property

Reuter.

just not done. It is a matter lend reform and other legisla- REMEMBRANCE of common decency that when tion. a state acquires foreign pro-

RUSSIANS PAID

"Even the Soviet Government yesterday's unsuccessful assassi- after the bloody revolution Van Lam, Governor of South for all foreign property taken over by them."

The Prime Minister was re-The first South Victnamese plying to points raised in a two-

The Bill gives Parliament and State assemblies power to decide Canada since the start of the

PILGRIM STEPS TO STAY

London, Mar. 15. The old foot-hollowed timber United Nations a study of the and stone stairs on the Thames' effect of radiation from nuclear south bank, down which the weapon tests. Pilgrim Fathers are believed to have stepped to their ship, Mayflower, are to stay. A special London jury decided that the stairs, lapped by the

March 7 to the Commons on this point. He said then he believed muddy Thames current, were still useful. sympathetic consideration to A local borough council had wanted the stairs closed under such a proposal but he indicated a development plan for river. Canada would not initiate it. a development plan for riverside wharves.

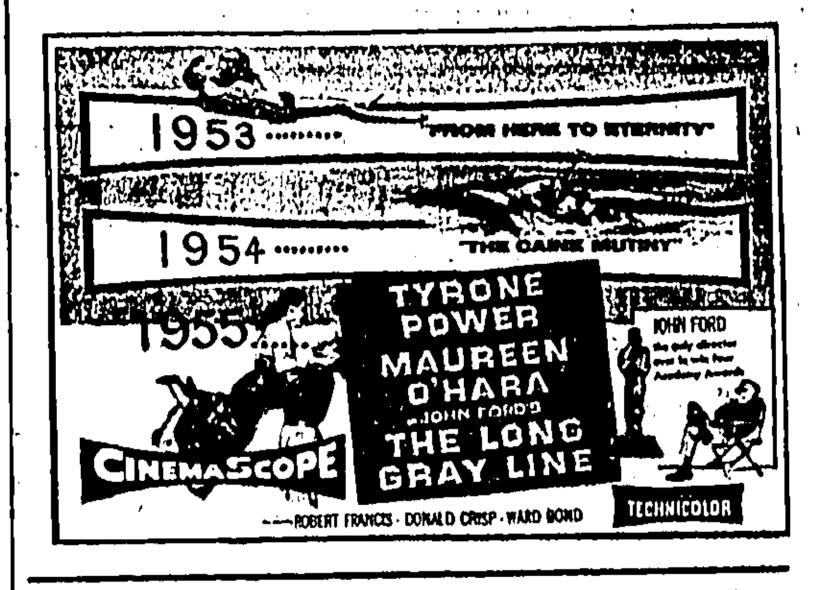
weather-beaten the Jimmy Thames waterman, Taylor who has used the stairs for years, and whose grandfather and great-grandfather before him used them, appealed in court against the council's plan, And won, - London Express

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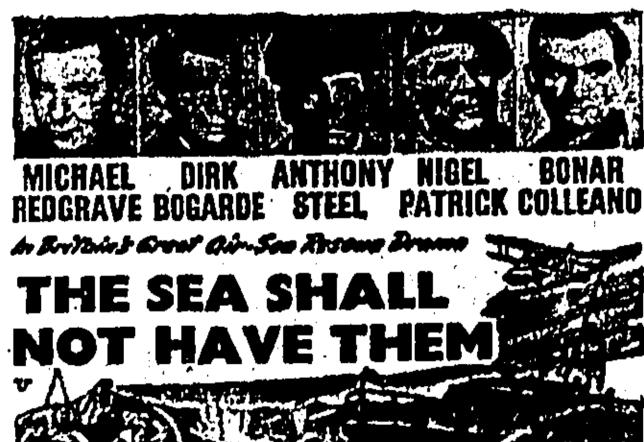


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Miss 'Fakir'

Vishinsky Law Institute

Moscow, Mar. 15. The Law Institute of the Soviet Academy of Sciences has been renamed in memory of Andrei Vishimsky, Russin's former chief delegate to the United Nations. The Institute will now

be known as the A. Y.

Vishinsky Law Institute. First task assigned to the renamed Institute in the publication of a twocallection of made by Mr Vishinsky at the United The former chief delegate, will was also a Foreign Minister, in Now York in November. His ashes were buried in the Kremlin wall.—China Mail Special.

NAPOLEON AS AN **AUTHOR**

Unfinished Love Story Sold

London, Mar. 16. finished love story, written accord, by Napoleon at the age of 16 and offered for sale from a New York collection was Democrats in the various State | Mr Van Der Goes said he auctioned in London today for £2,300.

long, the only surviving rolle of represented. the future Emperor's youthful amblition to be a writer of fiction, contains a ferecast of his own career, entilled "Clisson et Eugenie," It is a tale of jealousy and intrigue-and the hero is a young military officer.

It was written in 1785.

The munuscript was bought by Mr H. Samuel, a private collector, from an important group of French documents and writings belong to the late Mr Andre de Coppet of New York.

SAME YEAR

A letter written by Napoleon in the same year, seen after he of four votes in favour of the had received his commission as a litanepant of artillery, was also bought by Mr Samuel for £500. In it, Napoleon defends himself against a charge of not keeping up correspondence with his parents in Corstea.

third letter by Napoleon, dated the following year, was sold for £180. An unsigned leater to his mother, written in 1789, giving news about himself, discussing the financial state of France and commenting on European affairs, went to a French buyer, M. Charavay, for £400, --- China Mail Special.

ACROSS

Standing (6).

Rapid (5).

8 Proise (5).

18 Cheep (5).

20 Trick (3),

21 Calm (8).

10 Prolude (8).

7 Deserter (8).

9 Thoroughtere (6),

18 Go off with a bang (7).

15 Division of the year (0).

11 Chose by vote (7).

Party Elects Saar Opponents To Executive

Bonn, Mar. 15. A revolt against the French-German Saar agreement which has caused a rift between Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and the Government coalition Free Democratic Party split another coalition party tonight.

The Refugee Party's Parliamentary Group elected opponents of the Saar agreement to the Presidency and three Vice-Presidencies of its executive committee.

The election took place after | pointed by international agreea stormy session in which nearly | ment half the members of the Parliamentary Group walked out in protest against the rejection of a motion to postpone the election.

14 REMAINED

Only 14 of the 27 members of the group remained to participate in the voting,

The group's new President, Herr Mocher, who voted against the Same ere d in the Bundlesong. (lower house) last month replaces Her: Horst Hausler who The manuscript of an un- supported ratification of the

with Opposition Social many. in the Federal Bundestag (upper French Ministers -China Mail The story, about 1,500 words house) in which the States are Special,

> The Saar accord, and the other Paris Agreements, must be ratified by the Bunderral before German endorsement of the pacts is final.

In Frankfurt today, the Coali-

tion Government of the State of Heese composed of the Refugee Party and the Social Democrats unanimously decided to instruct its Bundestag representatives to vote against the Saur accord. The Lower Saxony Governmont, composed of a coalition of the same two parties was expected to follow suit. The attitude expected to be taken by Jother State governments results in a close anticipated majority

Soor accord in the Bundestag-21 to 17.—France-Presse.

DUTCH PLAN

The Hague, Mar. 15. The Dutch author of the plan for the "Europeanisation" of the Saar said today he expected a very large majority of Baarlanders to vole in favour of the

A referendum is to follow the coming into force of the Franco-German agreement on the Saar, placing the territory under a European Commissioner, ap-

DOWN

4 Part of a garment (6).

Ancostors (0).

Subject (5).

6 Laboured (0).

12 Diminishes (7).

10 Mended (8).

13 Surpass (0).

18 Change (5).

17 Relative (5).

14 Resigt (6).

8 Began (7).

5 Apes (8),

A British Crossword Puzzle

Mr Marinus Van Der Goes Van Naters, the author, told the Dutch International Association today that geologically the Saar tended towards France and there was a certain community of language, but enthnologically the Saar is "a German land "

The opposites could not be reconciled, and the problem would have to be solved by an international approach.

"Economically, the Saar will have to be directed towards a common market," he said. "It Meanwaile Di Alenauer's already has one with France, condition rebels were teaming up but it should also include Ger-

governments to form a strong would visit Parls on Thursday bloc against the Saar Agreement for talks on the Saar with

Frenchman

Loses

Rights

Paris, Mar. 15. Laval's World War H Vichy military goals as the six-year Government, was sentenced plan. here today to the loss of all his civil rights and privileges for a period of five years.

The convicted former official, 59year-old Reng Bonnefoy, disappeared when France was liberated by the allies in 1944 and was convicted in absentia in July, 1946 for having betonged to the wartime Vichy government which was regarded as collaborationist,

Bonnefoy who Anally gave him-Petain.

mass of information which was were: given him by his superiors in the Vichy government .

helped to save newsmen from unspecified strength, plus the German occupation forces reserve of 30,000 men on several occasions.-France 2. Sea force-Warships total-

Japs Considering Long-Range Defence Plans

Ninetecn-year-old Parisienne, Mile Yvette Boutard, poses elegantly on a bed of 6-inch

nalls after she had been elected "Miss Fakir 1955" during a different kind of beauty contest

in Paris. Like the Indian fakirs she feels no pain so she lays on the nails - Central Press

Tokyo, Mar. 15. The Japanese Government for the first time since World War II began serious consideration of loday confirmed the findings and a long-range defence programme this week.

Prime Minister, Mr Ichiro Hatoyama's De- Scoton, who was alleged to have mocratic Party and economy-minded Government with boot potish. officials took under intent study a six-year military

programme drafted by the national defence agency. The programme called for creation of a 180,000man ground force, 120,000-ton navy and 1,200-plane air force by March, 1961.

Defence leaders have drafted | consisting chiefly of made-ina number of long-range military Japan destroyers and escort plans in the past, including a ships. Personnel would total five-year programme last year around 30,000 men. THE former Secretary-General which would have attained by for Information in Pierre 1959 approximately the same

NOT OFFICIAL

But not one Japanese government has ever officially adopted a long-range defence programme.

Officials of the Finance Ministry and the Economic Deliberation Board National Economic Planning Agency, are sure to pare down the defence agency's programme.

The Defence Agency's proself up to the authorities last gramme calls for channelling January 23 after more than 10 three per cent of estimated years spent in hiding, pleaded national income into military he was only a small cog in the expenditures. The six-year government machine run by economic programme, already Laval and wartime chief of adopted by the Government this state Marshal Henri Philippe year, would cut this down by approximately one-fourth.

He said that he was only a go- Details of the Defence Agency between who funnetted down to scheme, revealed by authoritathe wartime newspapers the live sources, showed the goals

1. Ground force—180,000 men by 1958, divided into six divitwo witnesses testified Bonnefoy sions and four combat teams of

ling 116,000 tons by March, 1961,

BLACKED SOLDIERS' FACES

OFFICER

London, Mar. 15. The British military authorities sentence of a recent court martial on Captain Edward McAllister blacked the faces of privates

Captain Seaton of the Royal Artillery was found guilty on three charges of scandalous behaviour and one charge of conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline and sen-

tenced to be eashiered, It was alleged that he invited young soldiers serving in a camp in West Wales to his personal quarters and there tied them up, blindfolded and gagged two of them and in two instances cluding 450 F-86-F jet fighters, blacked their faces with the

150 F-86-D jets, 50 transports, polish. A recommendation to mercy remainder trainers. Personnel on medical grounds was made at would total around 40,000 .- the court martial.-China Mail

TURKISH PROTEST SYRIA

Ankara, Mar. 15.

Turkey has protested against "aggressive declarations" by Syrian statesmen who have criticised her pact with Iraq, according to reports

handed over in Damascus, the Syria, Egypt and Saudi Arabia Syrian capital, on March 13. Ambassador to Turkey, who arrived here today from Damascus, confirmed Turkey had sent a note to his close the contents.

3. Air force-1,200 planes in-

50 recomaissance planes and the

United Press.

A note was said to have been | the projected pact between was not directed against the Mr Kazim el Cezairi, Syrian Turkish-Iraqi pact but was designed to afford protection against danger from Israel. He added that the Turkish-Iraqi pact and the Syriancountry. But he did not dis- Egyptian project would possibly be reconciled in the future.-Mr Cezairi told reporters that Reuter.

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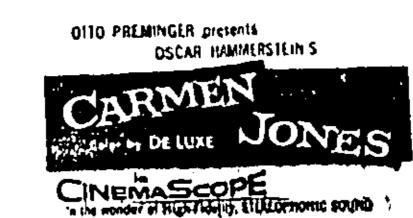
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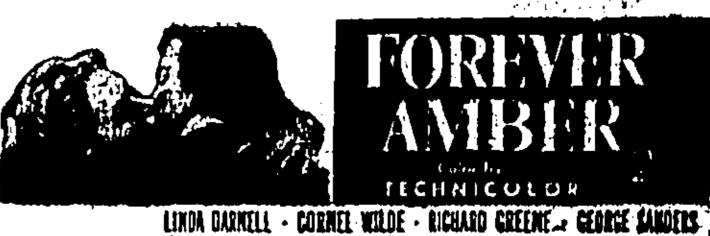
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" i resign—for keeping o

promising young man out

of my shoes so long."

WHEN

SEIZE

ing to police chiefs at

was on the line wanting to

control.

athaniel Gubbins

32 hours."

not 31 or 33 hours I can't weather experts named local tell you, but by observing hurricance after women. what's going on I can point out that the statement has doctors are worrying themselves not put the breeze up any- about the question "How old is body even though it has old?" After interviewing 1,000 also been said that another ancient men and women they war would be undeclared. discovered if you can pass 75 floor.

Put another way, it might don't seem to worry that Eng- But coffee.

On the brink of Nye's eternity Christian Dior is not worried about the fate of England but by the sight of Englishwomen's At home, where you might tended as a warmer-upper beknees. He "suffers terribly" usual calm. about these things, though you might have thought be would. On the brink of Nye's eternity by h warnings, however, like suffer more if there were no the fishmongers of Middlesex the warnings about over-filled Englishwomen, knees or no are still selling cod as haddock rubber bottles, mean little to knets, 32 hours from now, and and passing off haddock as the PLW, who wasn't called therefore fewer customers to hake, not caring that their sins phicky for nothing. The temptawear his clothes

You would never believe, unless you read about it, that on leader of 20,000,000 Moslems.

no good and not earing tuppence said it, lady.



indisputable world domina-

war broke out tury-Fox because she wants to a stone bottle for her feet. would last just films based on "great literature." . . .

that cup of time tomorrow. And America, with all its old folk, a little

knets. He is also worried about expect people to be a bit windy, fore retirement, must always the sight of foreign women's the English are displaying their be switched off when the bed is

they expected.

ford, Surrey, witting to the Therefore, I now wake at all The Khan, aged 77, and not 100 papers, is not worrying about hours looking for the little light. years from the Golden Gates Kingdom Come, but whether a Most times it is not glowing, himself, would be worrying hoppopolarius likes the look of but when it is I jump out of my about who is to succeed him as her "We think the hippo- bed, switch it off, and settle to potamus is an ugly animal," she sleep again. says, "but looking at myself But there he is, having angry through the eyes of a hippoconversations with reporters on potamus I must look a ghastly the telephone, doing his health gort of creature". Well, you

what happens to us and the And of all things, and on the world. If he thinks he's safe in brink of Nye's eternity, there Egypt he had better think again are brave English people looking forward to an English sumince One, writing to a columnist asks pathetically for "just one fine day. Sh. II be lucky if she gets any days, line or wet. Another is looking for-

ward to an outing with 38 rela-

For me 1 would rather have Nye's eternity tomorrow

Wife, Roast or

THOUGHT that when my life partner, the Plucky Little Woman bought herself about warming her bed during the winter would be over

PLW, who feels the cold ferable boiled or roast wife? acutely, usually spent at least an hour boiling kettles. filling elemnity just round the corner, upstairs and placing them at way

UOTING unnamed On the brink of Nye's eternity, strategic points where her feet, scientists, Nye which will include America, back, and shoulders would lie.

Nye Marilyn Monroe is having an There would be rubber bottles Beyan has said that up-and-a-downer with 20th Cen- for her back and shoulders and

As I never need hot bottles If you ask why 82 and The women of Texas are in cometimes caused anxiety. I niways feared that the P.L.W.,

But the electric blanket has before you have land might disappear by ten- proved to be an even greater anxiety because the P.L.W. appears to be determined to give herself what is known in America as the "hot scat."

The instructions say clearly may find them out somer than that to put out a hand and A Mrs. R. Charles, of Guilds cometimes too much for her.

ed by 240 volts of electricity.

One morning when I lighted the gas stove to make toast there was a smell of burning bacon. I had always heard that cannibals say cooked people smelt like plg.

So it had happened at last The poor P L.W was roasting alive I rushed upstairs expecting to see her sizzling and done to a turn. But she was uncooleed and fast asleep again. When I went downstairs I found a bit of bucon had been left under the grill.

Shall I throw away the electric an electric blanket all difficulties blanket and let her scald herself with burst hot-water bottles or shall I let her cook herself by electricity?

Before the purchase the In other words, which is pre-Perhaps, with Nye Bevan's tion, mate-it's my lunch !" hot-water bottles, carrying them it doesn't matter much either

Presenting the Tudor Oyster Prince

 Γ_{OR} the man whose purse is modest. yet whose aspirations are high. Rolex of Geneva have specially commissioned the Tudor Oyster Prince.

In many respects, the amazing Tudor Oyster Prince matches the most expensive wrist-writches. For Rolex of Geneva have endowed this watch with the famous Oyster waterproof case and the infallible "rotor" self-winding mechanism

Thus we have a magnificent watch, thoroughly waterproofed. automatically wound, yet priced at a moderate level.

Rolex of Geneva have submitted the Tudor Oyster Prince to the most rigorous tests ever devised for a selfwinding wrist-watch. So impressive were the results of these tests, that it has been decided to make them the subject of a world-wide advertising campaign. The first advertisement

in this series is reproduced below. For those of your customers who look longingly at a Rolex Perpetual, but lack the means to buy one, show them the Tudor Oyster Prince. In its field, this is undoubtedly the finest watch Swiss skill and experience have ever produced. It is retailed to the public, as illustrated.





unless ill, these preparations not only astonished me but who fills bottles to the brim with boiling water, would one night be scalded by a burst I also dreaded the moment, usually about 4 a.m., when the stone bottle was kicked out of bed during a nightmare and crashed to the

enough that the blanket, insecupied. A little warning light switch on comforting warmth is

When I rise to make the morning to the light is on ngain I switch it off. When I bring the ton it is on, I switch it off. I bring the papers and ree the light glowing. Once more I switch it off, but when I brong up the letters the Pl.W is fast asleep surround-

The problem remaining is:

Yes, incide. He's fully co-operative. Certainly, Let you know

THE 2,000

"Tyo sent an inspector down

No, I `

was too lightly cither.

You may be sure I was intrigued. And who do you Imagine I discovered to be the potential trouble-makers causing all this stir among Singapere high-ups? Two thousand techage schoolboys from Chung

Chen Secondary School. More astonishing still: after boy menaco is the most en- curriculum. couraging thing I have found since landing here in the wake of Sir Anthony Edem a week

THE TERROR

Yea, achoolboy memace. It may seem umbelievable to you as you study for the third time Jones Minor's week-end missive to "Dear Mum and Dad." Or watch Brenda cycling off to school, her new hockey-stick proudly balanced across the headlebars.

By a brilliantly skilful combinetion of propaganda and in- stock). timidation the Communists have succeeded in gaining con- occasion would be suitable for not thrown their last phial yet,

Singupore, hol of seven out of Singapore's a concert. To SPENT 40 minutes talk. 11 Chinese secondary schools. passed out of the hands of run) schools. their Singapore head-terrified masters and mistresses quarters. Twice in that time into that of teenage commissars with the autocracy of New York dockyard gangsters. They call authorities.

Sudan to Colonel Nasser"

WHAT HAPPENS

SEFTON DELMER'S NEWSMAP

make sure all was under political meetings and proclaim a holiday when it suits them. The second time it was They take up "voluntary" Shigapore's Colombal Secretary collections of money. Much of

"They're outside the gates now, build up secret arms arsenals dose of acid in his face, The principal has premired that with hand grenades stolen from If there's arouble he'll call them fornotten wartime dumps and carefully "reconditioned."

Their teachers are helpless. collaborate. Two were killed. Five had acid thrown in their

accomplary schools—only a small minority out of more than 200 Chinese schools in Singaporehave become training grounds ageous little Chinese principal of Communist subversion.

looking into the situation I am Government has decided to deal against him with the Reds. not only convinced that the with this grave menace. Under For the police have no right anxiety and precautions of the emergency regulations all to enter a Chinese school unless Singapore authorities are justi- students' unions have been they are invited. fled, but that the firmness with banned, and school meetings which both the Covernor and forbidden except when organised police are handling this school- by teachers as part of the be worried how things would go

> The party at Chung Chen Secondary School was the first test of the new regulations'

be no school on Saturday as rather incongruously come for the annual school ground opposite the school, traders' jumble sale (to which Academy" would be asked to jumble sale or concert. make contributions from their But look out for the future. It

By CONRAD ALLEN

to court and the Rome Tribunal the third, and the fourth floor. Moseow."

SIGN, with the words ruling and claimed that, until a face.

The police kept pulling the attacked to a long bamboo pole, dountry.

fourth floor window is And hat week a equad of

proposed to invite "students" Authority in these schools has from the other (Communist-

"I resign from Formosa—for

failing to get 200 hydrogen bombs

for my personal use from

President Ikc."

BOY REDS

SCHOOLS

-AFTER MALENKOV—if this confession-of-failure idea spreads—

At first the principal meckly the Governor's secretariat, who rule the school and classes agreed. But then he decided he would consult the Singapore

THE HOLIDAY

As a consequence of their himself telephoning the Com- it is sent to support jungle urgent advice, he told his pupils missioner of Police. From what terrorists. The commissars send that there would be no jumble heard the Commissioner say- out schoolboys and schoolgirls to sale, no concert and no holiday. log at his end, it was clear that act as strike pickets and agitators. Which, I should like to point out he was fact taking whatever it in Communist-organised labour --with hat doffed in homage to the principal—is quite a gesture They have even used school- for a man to make who has been there with some men," he said, boy and schoolgirl "cells" to frequently threatened with a

> they know, as he knows, that all jumble sale had been laid on by past 10 years. him as part of the school cur- It now provides lucrative ance to standing about being So these seven Chinese riculum. Then the authorities, full-time work for some, and a photographed in public. as things stand, could have done little or nothing.

But not only that. The courof Chung Chen school said that if his commissars made any trouble in school He would invite the police in to restore But at last Singapore's order—another black

So, you see, the Singapore authorities had every reason to in this first test. They went well.

THE RETURN

When I arrived down at the The scholars' committee told school I found the Reds had the principal that there would yielded. Policemen strolled they had decided the time had children's swings in the play-

Inside, the principal, teachers, all traders, shopkeepers, and and commissors were hard at street hawkers dealing with work on their lessons without "students of Chung Chen apparent thought for the banned

I know anything about it, those They had also decided the Communist acid-throwers have

Money For Men In Modelling

"I've been resigned—for being too

good, hélas / "

ODELLING two or three shows a day of the latest in MEN'S fashions are the group of models stand around six feet; part in the Men's Trade

resign as Promising-Future-

Prime Minister—for not producing

anything except hot air."

Fair at the Festival Hall. Of course, the male model robe can be built up gradually And, make no mistake, he was has been gradually looming at wholesale prices from the defying the commissars. For up on us for sometime. For firms whose clothes are being they know as he knows that all up on us for sometime. For modellade a pleasant come disdon't think there'll be trouble A few resisted and refused to he had to do was to inform the their business has been authorities that the concert and growing steadily for the And an ability to overcome

> steady part-time income supplement for a good many actors credibly handsome; HE may be and students.

> radiate the good life and sound scenes for "artist's reference"-

budget? And what are the re- when a climactic scene from a quirements?

• Their pictures in the best - known advertisements are almost Howland, Now, guaranteed to catch only 23, married to model woman's eye. Who are these elegant Jennifer Hock-

ing, he is a young men who model male very sensible, fashions? What are they even though like? What do they earn? extraordinarily The questions are answered agood - looking young' man who does some

l'to-become a designer.

acting, some

as a student of cutting, design five or six Jobs a day, modeland costume at the St Martin's ling can bring in a tidy little School of Art, needed extin income of some \$2,000 a year. money, and accepted his film agent's suggestions of doing some part-time modelling. One of his first jobs was with Barbara, Goalen-an experience which "shook him."

In spite of great success as model, he has wisely chosen to limit it to part-work, advises all models to see ahead and not. overstay their popularity. He They appealed against the the window in the policemon's enjoys the location work-"three days in the lale of A "Church of Christ", once the sign must atmain down. , case, the sign must remain down. the streets reared with laughter. nice" -- but is not over-This week one of the interested in the steady youtine.

policemen went to take it down- missionaries, Gerald Paiden, a Other male models are John threatening to upset ex- for the umpteenth time. They young, carnest Texan, was Challenge, a highly successful frequent party - conversation. cellent Italo-American rela- reached for it, but one of the summoned by the Deputy Police example of the middle-aged cuphemism. And indeed, the reached for it, but one or the Chief.

'members of the sect, posted at Chief.

'members of the sect, posted at Chief.

'the fourth floor window, pulled He was told that his sect had french-Canadian actor, one of last year's most popular models, it out of hands' reach.

'covered the Rome police with last year's most popular models, ridicule and that the sign must, who recently left for Hollywood; not appear again. Otherwise, John Forbes-Robertson, a dark or being sent diamond cultthe Deputy Police Chief added, young man whom popularity tiple neetling in a cornelion Protestant sect, "Church of Christ," which, flourishing in The police got a ladder, but the missionary's residence shows no sign of wasting after buttonhole. So far we haven't permit would be revoked and two years, and who manages to any cover-boys (except, as tried to grab it with a trook he would be expelled from the make even a cardigan look usual, looking worshipping in moody; and Brendan Toomey, the background), and no To this the missionary once Alan Ladd's double.

Finally, the missioneries went sign up to the first, the second, Georges Bissonnette from modelling jobs a week; Richard a black eye-patch famous all do Morya, a young classical over America.

London, odd, described by his agent as "excellent for dignified executive and Colonial types." Réquirements include a fine

"I resign—for failing to

make the British Socialists

visit me as they did

Malenkov."

tall frame-most of the male gentlemen taking a relaxed attitude towards a camera: a good wardrobe-the models provide a good many of their own clothes, but a wardmodelled; a pleasant, easy dis-

the natural masculine reluct-

HE may be young and in-

good for "character" roles; HE Who are the men whose faces may have a gift for acting out magazine story is performed by a cast of models and

p h o t ographed for the lllustrating artist to work from; HE may be silverhaired and oft. 2in., and look like "an ambassador type" in evening dress, white tie and carnation-"he was a Queen's Counsel

on one job... own dress- said an agent of her distinguishdesigning business. A character ed model protege, as a doting of determination and foresight, mother might say "Geoffrey's he decided at the age of three doing frightfully well in tha Diplomatic.

Three years ago he enrolled "At full time — that may be Rates are £2 2s. for the first hour. £1 1s, an hour after that; LB 8s. a full day; and £10 10s. a full day on location.

> So the top-line, much-indemand man can at best collect some £45-£50 a week, working full time and often 'averaging some three jobs a day.

But three years is a good average life—before the public and the advertiser tire of a face. Male modelling still carries a

"I'm in advertising." jobs in the advertising field.

So far I have not heard of any male models marrying ardent and impulsive pecresses, 12 nation-wide gimmicks like "the was not duly authorized. The | Finally, they called in the answered: "If you do so you | Then there are Robin Tatter- man in the Hathaway shirt" two missionsries kept putting it fire brigade. A policemian on would believe like the Boviets, sail, a medical student now that made a distinguished an extending ladder chased the who have just expelled Father managing to crowd in some five military-looking gentlemen with

ruled that the sign could stay up. He had nearly grabbed it when Now the Deputy Police Chief planist from Australia; and But the day may yet come. But the police were not con- the member of the Church of is thinking hard about this Ernest Blythe, retired officer, a The male model is moving Christ 'spulled at the mad closed comparison. When well-Greeked gentleman of fifty- closer to the lens.

A battle has been going on

over this sign for at least five

years between the Rome police

to Reme.

and the 40-odd members of the

eign down, saying that the sect but failed.

Dior

on a

Budget

wrap, settle for an outsine fabric stole

to match your frock.

the romantic effect

of this boautiful Dior

embroidered stole by

bordering yours with

And to make the

matching evening sac, sew strips of the

braid or ribban

with the same

material as the

in rich oyster satin,

about 11 yards long

and nearly a yard

wide, with a large

pocket on each wing.

jewels. For thousands of

years, they have cast their

nagic spell over women and

If a woman suddenly finds

life dull, she should take

herself off to a beauty shop

and buy a vial of captivating

best, she should drop a little

effects on men.

fascinating.

The Dior stole is

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Glamour

ACOBY BRIDGE

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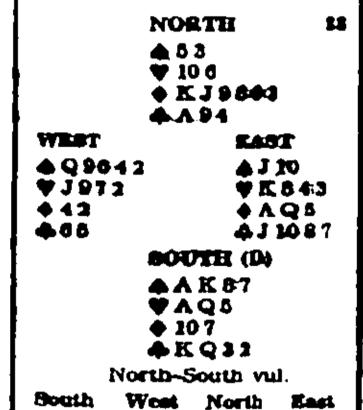
By OSWALD JACOBY

THERE was nothing wrong with the bidding of today's hand even though South failed to make his contract. It was quite normal to get to three no-trump, and South would have made this contract against most

defenders. South didn't want to open the South didn't want to open the bldding with one no-trump, even though he had balanced distribution and a count of 18 points, because he had a worth-points, because he had a worth-light doublebon in diamonds.

BORN today, you are not one to to market your idea and make it popular, as well. You women adjusted the points in the points of the points idea but will and knew how to decorate your consider them carefully before combonic attractively. You might even mitting yourself on them. You are take up hiterior decorating as a born executive and have a genuine careful.

a weak doubleton. South's weakness in diamonds



at least eight points in high cards, so that the combined total was enough to yield a good play for game. South therefore jumped to game in notrump,

Pass 2 •

Opening lead—♥2

Pass

3 N.-T. Pass Pass

1 •

Pass

Page

West opened the deuce of hearts, and East put up the king. South won with the ace of hearts and led the ten of diamonds, letting it ride for a finesse. Most defenders would take the trick with the queen of diamonds, and the fat would i THE impositing installation of juke- vers up what is called sternulamentathen be in the fire.

played, the East cards were held main problem of radio fanaties: by Sidney Lazard, well-known what to do when there is no notice young New Orleans expert. Sidney refused the first diamond trick and thus paved the way for the defeat of the game

contract. diamond, as good a play as any here. There is no better example of he could make, and Lazard won with the queen. Declarer was now out of diamonds and could get to the dummy once with the nce of clubs to set the diamonds at a triffing cost, will supply you up, but he could never get there again to cash the diamonds. South could therefore make only Nothing doing (6) one diamond trick, which gave him a total of only eight tricks.

Declarer would have made his contract if Lazard had won the first diamond. South would win to force out the ecc. It would do no good to refuse the sectwo hearts and two diamonds, rest, making the game and

Q-The bidding has been: West North Pass

You, South, hold: Spades A-8-6, Heart 5, Diamonds Q-7-3-2, Clubs A-K-J-3-2. What do you phrey, "if I'll have to pay meome do?

A-Bid two diamonds. You have only 14 points in high cards, but you have good trump support and a side singleton.

You can well afford this mild TODAY'S QUESTION The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You.

A-K-J-3-2. What do you do? Answer Tomorrow

South, hold: Spades A-6, Hearts

8-5, Dlamonds Q-7-3-2, Clubs



"By golly! Put that way, I think you may be right?"

four letters or more can you make rom the names: no foreign words. TODAYS TARGET: 43 words. Bolution tomorrow.

the small equares may be used once only. Each word must contain the large letter in the centre to tall tale teal vale vale veat equare, and there must be at VEGETABLE vegetal:

By STELLA YOUR BIRTHDAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

Most experts will risk bidding gift for analysis as well as a gentus mortal sphere

was more than compensated, of do well in any career which Jethro Wood, inventor; James course, when North bid and re- calls for the execution of de- Madison. U.S. President; bid the suit. It seemed reason- finitive detail. You are constructive Herschel, hatronomer, and Percy and like to build—in the realm of McKaye, poet able to suppose that North had Ideas as well as the concrete, such an houses, bridges, etc. Given the kernel of an idea, you know how store for you tomorrow, select your to expand it in a practical and birthday star and reed the corresworkable fashion Once cour blue- ponding paragraph Let your birthprint is drawn up, you know how day star be your daily guide,

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

1'18CES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)-Happy St Patrick's day! Don't be Cultivate patience and you will be too upset if your party plans go able to slog along, even if things slightly swry Adapt yourself ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)-Be cautious in all that you say today. It would be much loo eary to hurt someone's feelings CANCER (June 22-July 23)-Do that good deed today. Being a good scout now, may win you a reward later on, when you need it TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-If you are truly deserving, then you

may anticipate something really good and exciting happening today GEMINI (May 22-June 21)-Guard against carelessness You can avoid future trouble if you are extra cautions right sew I, E () (July 24-Aug. 23)-

tricky, even dangerous, today experience, and you will win out Keep one foot solidly on the ground.

Most experts will risk bidding nu-trump with a weak three-card holding, although they naturally prefer a stopper in cach of the four suits, but they avoid opening in no-trump with There is another side of your

Among those born on this date Methodical and accurate, you would are William Byrd, Virginia Dioneer;

To find what the stars have hi

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)seem to be at sixes and sevens LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)-If you will just curb your tongue, you can avoid an argument. It takes

two to start a row! #CORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)-You may find release for pent-up energies if you will take part, actively, in some community project. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)-You're on a tightrope today, so step very carefully. Keep in balance and watch where you are going. CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan, 20)-The news from far away may be as pleasant as it is unexpected. Surprises can be fun! AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)-Illusions and day-dreams can be Make a wise decision, based on past

in an unsettled situation

Oh, I say, look here!

Formosa what they want?

"has that got to do with it?"

##CUPPOSE," he said, "someone

"What on earth," was the reply

"Nothing, I suppose, in the world

BY . THE . WAY . Beachcomber

boxes to complete our musical tion or sneeze-condition When the hand was actually education, should help to solve the

The Americans devised a method by which the ultra-sensitive could huy a few mimites' silence Jukeboxes were fitted with some blank South continued with another records. That idea should be copied the best contemporary than the establishment of the prin ciple that in order not noise, you instal a machine which, with a few minutes' silence

AS Humphrey Scabbard sat at dinner in the hotel diningtoom a tall dark girl passed his table and dropped beside his plate a dirty bit of paper. On opening the heart return with the queen in Humphrey read "C.F.216 + 341 and lead his remaining diamond 280 . 734 - 23H.H.O." At that moment a Bulgarian introduced himself as the Mayor of Nullevyorond diamond trick, since dummy | nonzeens, and offered him 40,000 would win it and would be in a dollars for the bit of paper Thinkposition to lead a third dia- ing this a silly joke, Humphrey mond. The defenders would take | said, "You can have it for nothing." "Then it cannot be what I want." but South would easily take the said the Mayor A voice behind Humphrey's chair said; "50,000 dollars," "60,000," said the waiter at his elbow. "Is this an auction?" asked Rumphrey sarcastically, as a woman on blue spectacles pushed through the crowd gathering round the table, and said, "30,000 dollars," "100,000 dollars," cried a Persian oil ed the room. East magnate. Humphrey let them bid 1 Diamond Pass to their heart's content, slowly ravouring his omelette. But they erowded so close round him that he could hardly raise his hand to his mouth. "I wonder," mused Hum-

> What happens when you sneeze?

paragiotiis. forces its way through

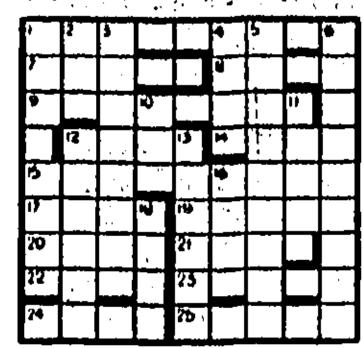
Tuils is an enlarged A photogram of the nephotomes which cluster round the

you sneeze breath nephotomes, releasing tiny spicules of condensed water. These produce a tingling in the phamoidal nervetissues, and the pressure on the secondary terminals of the nostrils

> Punch, "all sorts of things. Little things and big things.
> First of all I promised Judy to
> go out into the woods and chop
> down some trees so we'd have enough logs for the fireplace for the rest of the winter. Then I have to clean the chimney, paint the house, beat all the rugs, bring some trunks from the cellar up to the attic, and bring some other trunks down from

were a sievo."

CROSSWORD



The food just piles up here for the ponies, (9) The egg and l'are, said the fat

B Member of Parliament for Virginia? (4) y. In this gas used to trap a jackass ? (8) people 7 (4)

14. One — thing after another, as the housewife said with a basket of socks. (4)

15 Died outside—but still in 1 (9)

17. Royal Engineer in a doubled space (4) 19. Sounds like what the cockney

porter sticks on --- in

20. If the show is one, it should run well. (4) The second of a stop and listen trio. (4) 22. The seating arrangement is friendly, (4) 23. Perform. (5) 24. The unknown poet. (4) 25. The local council relies on

defamation case. (5)

The annual breaks. (8) Oir) in a naval occasion. (8) YOU provide the clue. (8) Oreody, (4) 5. This craft doesn't venture on

the high sees. (5-4)
6. You probably do this on your 1 Down. (5, 4) 10. Comes before cracking in the Olear out " order. (8) 11. He meets a compatriot in the old saying. (5) 12. Sounds like

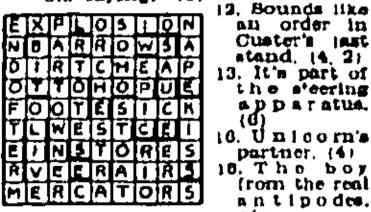
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stand, (4, 2)

the steering

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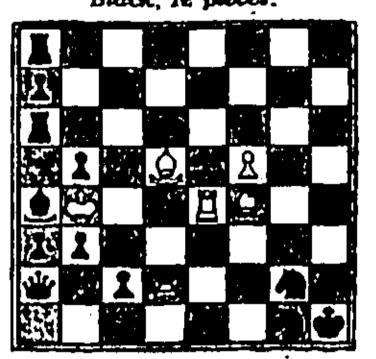


these. (6)

10. Unicom's TVEERAIRS partner. (4) from the real antipodes. Testreday's solution

CHESS PROBLEM

By A. AKERBLOM Black, 12 pieces.



White, 6 pieces. were to ask the people of White to play; mate in three. Solution to yesterday's of her hand, wait until the problem:

, Kt-B5, any; 2, Q, or R mates. a deep sniff. Unless it is

alcohol has evaporated, take

TERFUMES are romantic exciting, the fragrance is and elegant. They are not for her. more glamorising and enchanting than sparkling

London Express Service.

Perfume Helps Morale

By HELEN FOLLETT

等级的现在分词 医多种皮肤

It is wise to buy the smallest quantity obtainable, if its fascination continues.

have had some interesting plied with an atomiser. The blend. fine vapour settles evenly, and none is wasted. The spray avoids stains and rings on dress materials.

fragrance. Perfume does Sachets to match a perfume scent can be purchased. They wonders for morale, makes should be attached to dress a woman feel feminine and hangers, tucked in dresser drawers. Have one in your She must take time in handbag. Your clothing will choosing a scent, one that pick up the scent, thus saving on the perfume overhead. is delicate and subtle. For a

RECIPES BEETS

By ALICE DENHOFF

useful, good to keep on standby, Red Flannel Hash. hand at all times, for, in flavour, they come whole, taste. Mix well. sliced, diced and cut.

WOMANSENSE

Calico-Stuffed Baked Pota_ large skillet. toes are an excellent supper dish. The recipe serves 4.

Bake 4 medium potatoes them immediately. in 350° F. oven 45 min. to 1 hr., or until done.

Cut potatoes in lengthwise spring Hat Has haives and scoop from shells. Mash with 8 butter and 1/3 c. Beat until light and fluffy.

Add 1 c. diced luncheon meat. 1/2 c. grated processed Cheddar cheese, I small grated onion, a No. 303 tin diced beets, drained, salt and peper to taste.

Pile mixture lightly in shells. Place on baking sheet and bake at 325° F. 25 min.

Beets and Julienne Ham comblue in a new recipe.

To prepare 4 servings, drain a live wih it awhile, and see No. 303 tin whole beets, reserving ¼ c. beet liquid. Heat 2 tbsp. salad oil over low heat; Fragrance is best ap- add tbsp, all-purpose flour and

> Add beet liquid, 3 tbsp. vinegar, 2 tbsp. sugar, 1/2 tsp. salt and dash pepper. Cook over low heat until thickened. Stir constantly,

Add beets, and cook until thoroughly heated. Add 1/2 c. sour cream and 1/2 lb. boiled ham, cut in thin matchlike strips. Heat to serving temperature.

FINNED beets are mighty Then here's a quick version of

addition to their colourful Combine 1 lb. un cornea new appearance and wholesome drained, salt and pepper to Shape into 4 patties; chill.

> Saute patties until west browned on both sides. Serve

Melt butter or margarine in a

Fruit In Front



This attractive spring beret with a forward tilt is in mimosa-coloured Swiss straw with an under-brim of palm leaf grosgrain. In the front the dipping brim is trimmed with a bunch of fruit. It is

a London creation. -(Landon Express Service)

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

things," Mr Punch said.

flowers in the flower beds are

bourhood can use their sleds."

A Reverse System

Mr Punch took another puff

nide and cozy."

Resting Before Work

_Mr. Punch Says He Is Busier Than Anyone-

By MAX TRELL

THERE he was, sitting in the big easy chair by the tonished. window, smoking his pipe and looking as comfortable as pillow on a bed. It was Mr Punch of course. Knarf and Hanid, the shadow-children with the turned-about names, saw him from the doorway as they enter-

No Time At All

What was surprising was this. Even though Mr Punch LOOKED comfortable and SEEMED to have nothing to do, Knart and on his pipe. Hanld distinctly heard him saying over and over again; "I'm so busy I haven't got time breathe. I'm busier than all the got to see what I can do to get sitting there doing nothing!" bees and beavers."

Knarf and Hanid walked over

"You don't look busy at all," said Knarf.

"Appearances are deceiving." all the bees and beavers." "If you're so busy," said

Hanid, looking at him sitting in

his easy chair, "what are you

"About thousands and thousands of things," answered Mr the attic to the cellar, And if all that wasn't enough, I have to build a new roof because the old one is fall of holes and the rain comes through as though it

You certainly have a lot to



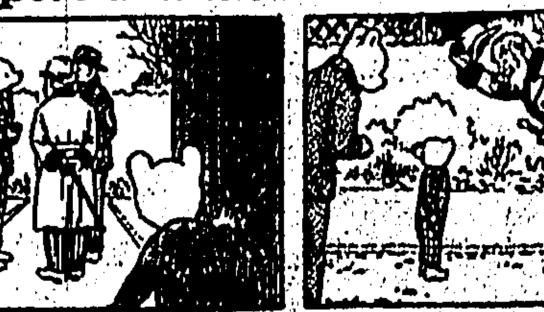
Hanid asks Mr. Punch what he's so busy about.

bees and beavers." And he yawned. "But look here, Mr Punch," "And when I'm through with said Hanid. "You don't seem to all that," Mr Punch said, "I've be busy at all! You're just

Mr Punch pretended to look some snow to fall on the hill so surprised. "Doing nothing? Why, that the children in the neigh- you're quite mistaken, I'm busy resting. You see," he added with a wink, "some folks rest AFTER they finish their work. "When will you get time to do But I!...well, I rest BEFORE I

all those things?" Knart asked begin. And this time he winked both don't know," said Mr sold Mr Punch. "I'm busier than Punch, "I'm busier than all the eyes, shutting one after the other.

Rupert and the Broken Plate-22



him briskly and politely., "Ah. and finds , his Daddy talking to it is im I Good day, little bear." the strangers. "Hello, I've seen he cries. "How lucky we are ! that coat before. be murmure. We ave march and search and.
Those are the man who were now we find. We ave to luck, set the Pussyville shop: What eh Ch dear, what is he brings them here?

As he taking about 2 thinks Report.



No Postponement Of Army-South China Football Match

Written requests from the Army and South China for postponement of their First Division league soccer matches on Sunday, March 27, were turned down by the Management Committee of the Hongkong Football Association which met at the Association's office, Sports Road, yesterday, Capt. W. A. George was in the Chair.

against Eastern on the grounds ponement of the match stating that their players would have a that as it was, the season would very strenuous game on the pre- have to be carried on nearly Vious day (Saturday, March 26, into summer due to the postponthe Shield Final against Army), ing of games. Mr. K. K. Ip

All-England Badminton Entries

Lóndon Mar 15 Badminton Champlonships, offi- on Sunday, March 6. class announced to lay

challengers from Australia, player took the field Canada, Denmark, France, Inc. Tarkoo, in a letter to the F.A. and United Kingdom

A last-minute entry is Wong Peng-soon, Malaya, who won the men's singles trophy outright in-1950-51-52. He will challenge a Malayan low student Eddy Choong winner for the past two

Nos, 1 and 2, and a win for veterans team (composed) Choong would also make the those players who participa ed in trophy his property

men's singles are P. Granfund mence at 3.15 p.m. (Denmark), who came near to be beating Choong last year; Don P.S. Clementi-Smith, the band Murray (Australian champion); of the Essex Regiment, under and a 'newcomer, Bertll Glans Bandmaster Mr. R. W. Brown, as "The Robot" He is regarded (Final. as the best outsider.

Miss Judy Devlin (United States) defends the women's: singles title, which has the most selected to represent the HKFA representative entry eyer. These XI against the Chinese FA XI in holders Mrs Toni Ahm, Miss A vernor's Cup series on March Jorgensen, Miss K. Thoundami 20: all of Denmark, and Mrs C.

Miss Thelma Kingsbury. Miss Devlin is Miss Margaret (Army) McLellan (RAF) Varner, also of the United States, Walmsley (Army),



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South China asked for the C. K. Woo, Eastern team manapostponement of their match | ger, protested against the postseconding Mr Woo stated that the request for postponement was not supported by reasonable grounds,

There being no seconder for Mr Mok Hing, the South China representative, it was decided that the fixtures stand. Army will have Kwong. Wah as their

opponents, Mr Mok Hing stated that he trearried the right to protest. TAIROO F.C. SANCTIONED

A letter of sanction is to be isent to the Talkoo Football Club A record entry of over 250 which failed to field an XI 15 nations, including against Gymnastic in a Second several champions, has been Division league soccer match received for the All-England scheduled to have taken place

The referce in charge of the The champion-hips will be game stated that he blew the Empress Hall whistle twice for the commencefrom March 23 to 26 by ment of play but no Talkoo

dia Ireland, Malaya, Norway, explained that the person in Pakistan, South - Africa, Scot- charge of the team was urgently land, Sweden, the United States called back to work. Nine Tarkoo players were at the ground but were unable to field a team

due to injuries. Tailoo will have to pay a time of \$32 (Referce's and linesmen's (ces)

As a curtain raiser to the Gevernor's Cup match at the Club ground on March 20, a Both players have been seeded [match between a Chinese the 1936 Berlin Olymples) and Among the challengers in the be played. The match will com-

By kind permission of Lt. Col. (Sweden), known in his country will play at the Senior Shield

MEN SELECTED

The following have been four previous title. the second match of the Go-

Welcome (United States), who Joseph's), Hayes (Army), Hig- and he was closely pressed by Cuba, won the title before the war as gins (Army), Honniball (Sing Jehn Bennett with 26-3%). Tao), Toth (RAF), Osbourne Seeded as a likely finalist with (Army), Moss (Police), Morris

Reserves, Payne (Navy), Hahn (St. Joseph's), Tolego (St Io**sc**ph's) M. Xavier Joseph's), Murray (Army). Team Manager; Capt. W. A.

The FA team will play in blue and white stripes, It is understood that the Chinese 115 points compared with 37 1/2 (Sefection will be in red.

Climate Worries Malayan Shuttler Ace

London, Mar. 15. Wong Peng-soon, Malaya's acc badminton player, 'hôpes have his fourth win in the All England Championships here next week but his immediate the Games mark of 56 ft 61/2 in convas for the full count in the clothes. concern is to become acclimatis-

"I have not been warm stree" I arrived here on Friday," Wong sald at a press conference today. "It is a little difficult to! get used to the change of temperature from about 90 degrees he had won the 400-metre of Singapore to the winter air of hurdles. England."

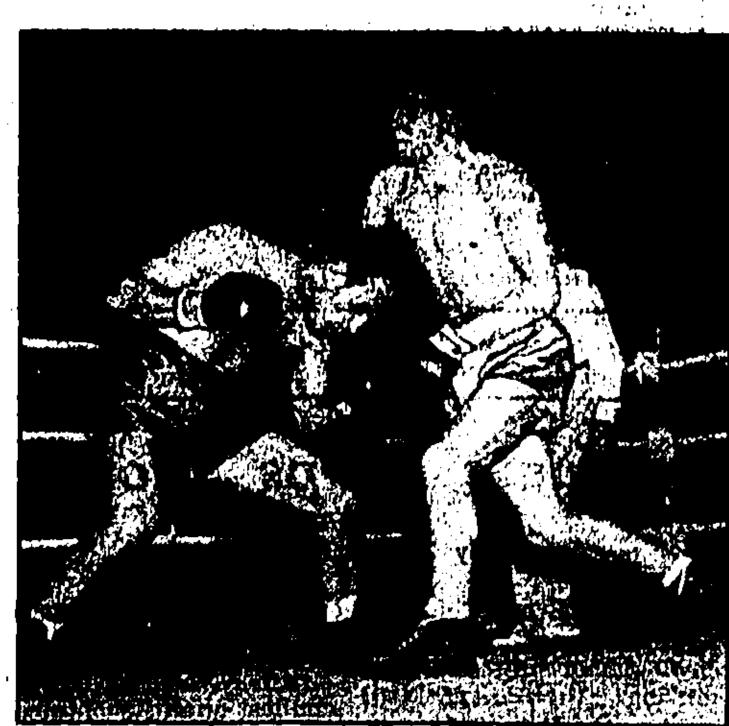
Men's Single Trophy with three "I'll never run in this altitude successive 'wins, made his again." It took him an hour to sudden and surprise visit at the recover from the race, request of the English Badminton Association. After an adthree days, he has had two sees. Mike Agostini, San Jose spells of practice at the State collegian running for his weight, beat his own Pan Wimbledon Badminton Club. . .

Friday and Saturday before making an attempt to win the Rodney's time equalled the Rodney's time equalled the Ran-American record set up by American record set up by American

instituted during the litter part of April.

Eddy Chapter, who won the all the U.S. won a straight set victinglend title just year and will probably black with Wong in the first passed the last part of the first stage of the last part of the last part of the last passed the last part of the last passed the la





Americans Win Three Track And Field Events

Mexico City, Mar. 15. Two U.S. soldiers leaped more than 26 feet in the broad jump and their team-mates won three other track and field championships yesterday as the United States made a near sweep of honours in the Pan-American Games.

ousted

Miss Clark was beatter in the

from the women's

Mexico City, Mar. 15.

Enriquez.

singles and also in the mixed

doubles by Ingrid Metzner and

BOXING

Flyweight Hilarlo Correa of

Carlos Rodriguez, Venezuela.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Brazil beat Canada 66-43 in a

women's baskebball gamé, —

WEIGHT-LIFTING

Mexico City, Mar. 14.

Mexico City, Mar. 15.

US Pe'e Georgeton the middle. the disease.

Salvador Jesus

weight class.

Roselyn Range, an Army pri- to the ascond round in the Lewis (Army). Nash (St the greatest in track history — Rangel and Pilar Herrero of for eight,—Reuter.

> The world record is 26 ft 81/4 doubles with Larsen, the former ins set by the famous Olympic national champion, on Sunday. slar, Jesse Owens, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, 20 years ago, Eulace Peacock is the only other who team of Maria Teran Welss and has broad jumped farther. Pea- Felisa Peidrola Zoppa were cock did 26:3 in 1935.

A crowd of 25,000 saw the Maria Esther Buenos of Brazil Americans win four of the five 3-6, 6-4, 6-4,-Associated Press. track championships—contested and boost its unofficial score of for Argentina, its chief rival.

Josh Culbreath streaked over Mexico decisioned Sherridale the 400-metre hurdles in 51.5 Morgan of the United States in sees, just 1.1 off the listed world three rounds in the first boxing mark held by Russia's Yuri match of the Pan American Lituyev, and shattered the games last night, Games mark of 53.4 set by Jalme Aparicio of Colombia in Venezuela, scored a three-round 1951. Apariclo was second this decision over Angel Jimenez time in 51.7 and Wilson of Diaz, Argentina, in the bantam-Gomez third.

SHOT PUT RECORD Barry O'Brien of the U.S., the scored the night's first knockout truth in the old saying that field, and then use a minimum seconds. Then opening the against). world record holder, put the when he battered Manoel Bon- when retiring, one should cast quantity in the bedroom? The mouth, exhale fully. shot 57 ft 81/2 ins, bettering fim Hoa Morte of Brazil to the off one's cares with one's time spent in the bedroom is occupies about five or six set by Jim Fuchs four years third round of their featherago. O'Brien's world record is 60 weight bout. It 10 ins. Second and third Rodriguez scored an earlier should be tucked into the hollow fall to notice that the air in don't pull faces, don't raise the against). places were also won by Ameri- knockeur on the second round.— of the neck, thus preventing all their bedroom is close and shoulders, and don't take

cans, Fortune Gordien and United Press. -Martin Engel. Josh Culbreath collapsed after

He called it "the most horri- United Press. Wong, outright winner of the ble race I ever ran" and said:

Richard Rodney of the U.S. venturous air trip, which took | won the 100-metre final in 10.3 American Games here last hight, as a preventive from contracing native Trinidad, was second, fol- American record of 380 kilos in lowed by Willio Williams of 1951 with a lift of 405 kilos.

Wong was greatly impressed by the increased interest in the game in England. "A lot of promising young players have come into the game," he said, "and I think the standard of play has improved."

Wong will return home immediately after the commitmental of the play has improved."

Wong will return home immediately after the commitmental of Attgenting in 7.7 and Mae of Attgenting in 7.7 and Mae of Appell.

Which is a printer were beaten in the 60-metre dash by Bertha Diaz of Cuba, who won the event in 7.5 and Mabel Landery of Chicago third, clocked also in 7.6. Then came Gladys Erbetta of Attgenting in 7.7 and Mae of Appell. The latter part of Appell.

Art Lance and Ed Moylan of Art Lance and Ed Moylan of Appell.

outpointed Nazzareno Giannelli of Italy in their recent fight for the European Flyweight Championship. The top picture shows Dower landing straight left to his opponent's head while the plefare on the left shows Giannelli ducking to avoid a right cross from Dower. - By winding this fight, Dower added the European Flyweight title to his British and Empire crowns.--Central Press Photographs.

MEET RUSSIA AT SOCCER

London, Mar. 15. on the same tour.

The Football Association also training in company which will announced that Wolverhampton make him work hard. He adopts Wanderers, the present English a very forward position on his First Division Champions, had cycle, one that obviously suits been invited to play in Kiev on his physique and style of riding, May 25 and in Moscow on May Not a food faddist, but believes

SUN APPEARS FOR TEST

The weather was sunny here today and a full day's cricket was expected on the final day of the first Test Match between England and New Zealand. Rain has prevented any play on the last two days but the

ground appeared dry today. New Zealand made 125

Dower of Wales so decisively

ENGLAND TO

The Football Association an- ed Star! Champtonship race of nounced here today that Eng- last Wednesday, when he beat | land would play Russia on June | Bouch in a magnificent sprint to 3 next year, the first international match between them. Matches will also be played against! Germany and Sweden |

30 this year.—Reuter.

Dunedin Mar. 16.

vate, won the broad jump with women's doubles with a 6-1, their first immings to which a leap of 26 ft 4 1/2 ins-one of 6-2 triumph over Olga Garcia England have replied with 209

contained such wisdom.

very important. The lower edge

head and the shoulder. It there

is a gap at this point, it means?

is harmful, still persists, yet

people suffering from lung

trouble have to sleep with

plenty of air in their bedrooms.

OPEN THE WINDOWS

air is often not the purest, it

Even in cities, where the

question.

or less tense.-

Two American weight-lifting As this is necessary, surely the

records were broken in the Pan same rule should be practised

competition before coming to Hongkong in December 1953. quickly became the mainstay of | go.

previous year. Rylance's posting to Malaya upset the team, and Hurford has been experiencing a bad habit of theirs nowadays, Cowpatch, until the recent three-day | ian and Jones filling fourth race, when he took third place, and the NTACA 65 Miles Mass- down. take the "Coq d'Or" Shield for

the second year in succession. HARD TRAINING A firm believer in plenty of hard training, he does best when in fruit and milk as aids to the Army diet. He has had some experience with Weight-Train-

can be gained from a brief tally.

1953/4 season.

A very strong rider, who does not yet realise his full potentiality, he will most certainly make his mark at home in the Massed Start field, when he leaves in June of this year. The 51 Miles Massed Start was the course for the HKC. Race for the "Watson" Shield, Massed Start Championship

ing, but confines it to the "off-

held over the Sek Kong Circuit | Race, due to be held on Apri on Sunday, provided him with 24. yet another victory, again over

titless Grejames

It was George III who said "Six hours' sleep for a man, seven for a

For the average, healthy, active man, eight hours of sleep is not too much,

It is in sleep that we make up the energy we have expended during the day.

much longer than that spent in seconds. Repeat three or four

Unfortunately many people in the open air. Don't strain,

Now here is an exercise to but if, afterwards, one feels

ensure a good intake of fresh chilly or if the skin is goose-

Place both hands flat on the After games, a hot bath is

lower ribs with the middle necessary to wash away sweat:

fingers touching in front, inhale this should be followed by a

'quietly and deeply through the cold shower or sponge and a

nostrile, expending the chest vigorous rub down with a rough

unwisel

woman and eight for a fool." Notoriously, his opinion on any subject was

not worth having, yet we still hear this idiotic saying repeated as if it

but there are people who seem to be able to do with less: it is purely an individual

It is a mistake, after a hard day's work to eat a large meal and then go immediately

strain on the neck muscles, by stuffy unless they go out in the long over the complete move-

room. We often notice how

foul the air is when we enter a

while we more or less adapt

A BREATHING EXERCISE

when we leave the carriage.

to bed: on the other hand it is unwise to go to bed hungry.

filling up the space between the fresh air and then re-enter the ment.

that the neck muscles are more railway carriage, but after a

The old bogey that night air ourselves to it and notice it only

The position of the pillow is the playing field.

He started riching a cycle with the Fon two of the three laps the land a true Championship one. the Nottingham Sphere CC in field was fairly well bunched, The magnificent "BSA" Shield 1951, and took part in a few but on the last hill of Lap three, is the Team award for this race, time trials at the shorter dis- Beck made a getaway to a lead woo last year by the Kai Tak tince, without a great deal of of about 200 yards. Bouch and Exiles, Todd-White of the Welch success. The Army interfered Hurlord took up the pursuit, being the individual Champion. with his cycling until he joined and doing "Bit and Bit," made the REME CC where he contact with six miles still to

Ray Hurtord, Most Prolific

Prize-Winner In Colony

Cycling Championships

By "N'TACA"

prolific prize-winner in Colony cycling. To catalogue his wins in major

events would take up far too much space, but some indication of his ability

season: winner of the NTACA Massed Start Championship, the REME Cycling

Championship and the "LORD" Best All-Rounder Massed Start Shield in both 1953/4

and 1954/5; First in 12 Massed Start and Sixth in Time Trials, with places in 14

others; one time holder of Colony Records at 50 miles and New Territories Road

Circuit. Quite an imposing list for a man who had never taken part in first-class

Thick-set, muscular Ray Hurford of the REME CC, is the most

Winner of the "SCMP" Best All-Rounder Time Trial Cup in the 1953/4

straight. Beck made a valiant events to be held on Wednesdays, In his second season, he had, effort, but he was passed by I hear that the Kai Tak Exiles as a team-mate to Colony 25 both his rivals to finish third are also promoting a Novice T. T. Record holder, Rylance, place four yards down. This Competition, on similar lines, and between them they bid fair was a flash of the old Hurford. to repeat the exploits of the and we hope his form is back taking part in both these Com-

The Hussars again took—the well and truly fit by the start learn award, as seems to be a of next season. and fifth places, two minutes

Perhaps the revelation of the race was the new REME CO rider. Ellinghun, who after only 30 training miles since last October, stuck with the leaders until puncturing at 49 miles. Unishing seventh, seven minutes down on the winner. Looks a likely prospect when he can ge

> RECORDS ACCEPTED The Hongkong Cycling Asso-

ciation called a special meeting on Sunday, to ratify records and settle the programme for the remainder of the season. The records accepted were the 50 miles Time Trials Cower, at 2-7-56, and Beck at 2-7-07: 50 Miles Teem Time Trial, Kai Tak Exiles, 6-39-06 and 7th Hussars, 6-28-43; Twisk

Team, REME CC 1-3-54. Among other subjects discussed

Hill Climb, Beck, 19-19, and

Finally approved was the 3-Bouch in the final sprint. The lap, 90-mile route involving race was a very hard affair, with | three climbs of the longer side Beck as the starting favourite, of Route One. A stiff course

COLD BATHS

I am asked, are cold battis

Speaking generally, if you

have a good circulation and if:

after a cold bath, you experi-

then cold baths are beneficial:

fiesh, cold boths are harmful.

Novices will be well catered for this Summer. In addition that all-conquering team in the Coming into the finishing to the NTACA Competition with l to be run off on Sundays. 'By petitions, the Novice should be

MAGAZINE ARTIULES

Contributions for the HKCA Magazine are coming in, but very slowly. Strange how those who can talk so much, for so long, cannot get some of it on paper. Some ideas? Your first or most memorable cace; incidents on Tours, true or imaginative; your views on any aspect of cycling, Colony or other. There is no end to the variety of subjects on which articles can be written. After all, it is YOUR Magazine.

One very well-reasoned letter summed up the concensus of opinion on the lack of a Track in the Colony. The writer asks how we can expect the powers that be to go to the trouble of building a suitable track, when so few riders can go to the trouble of riding in the few events which are promoted.

It is true that such events as have been put on by the HKAAA, REME, etc., have been bodly supported. Surely we must first show our own keenness and willingness to participate, before we can expect others to take an

Remember that the full-scale Cycle Meeting organised by thes NTACA had to be cancelled for lack of entrants, not an inspiring fact for the would-be builder of a Track to contemplate. Do not forget the meeting on March-28 and 27.

And now to the question for this week. From the point of view of a club. which is the more important, an Individual or a Team victory? And why?

Fencing Match Results

The following are the detalls of the fencing match; in which the Hongkong Sword Club defeated the Chinese Black Fencing Team on Monday. ... Hongkong Sword Club:-P. G.

Williams—5 wins: Dr I, Reid—3 wins; J. A. Ozorio—3 wins; J. Don't take your worries to over again. Why try to get fresh fully. The whole time occupied Marcal-1 win; P. Marcal-1 bed. There is a great deal of air, on the cricket, or football in filling the lungs is about four win-Total 13 wins (71 hits

Chinese Black Fencing Team: -R. Lynn-4 wins; Hung Hak To-3 wins; George Hu-2 wins; and occasionally when F. Fung-2 wins; Lam Si Lap-1 win—Total 12 wins (77 hits The result of this match gives

the Hongkong Sword Club an

excellent chance of winning the League. They have, however, to defeat the Army on March 30th. Although the Chinese Black Team, have already dofeated the Army Team. Major George Brewer was not fencing ence a quick reaction and glow, on that occasion. At this strength the Army Team may. well prove too strong for the Hongkong Sword Club Team.

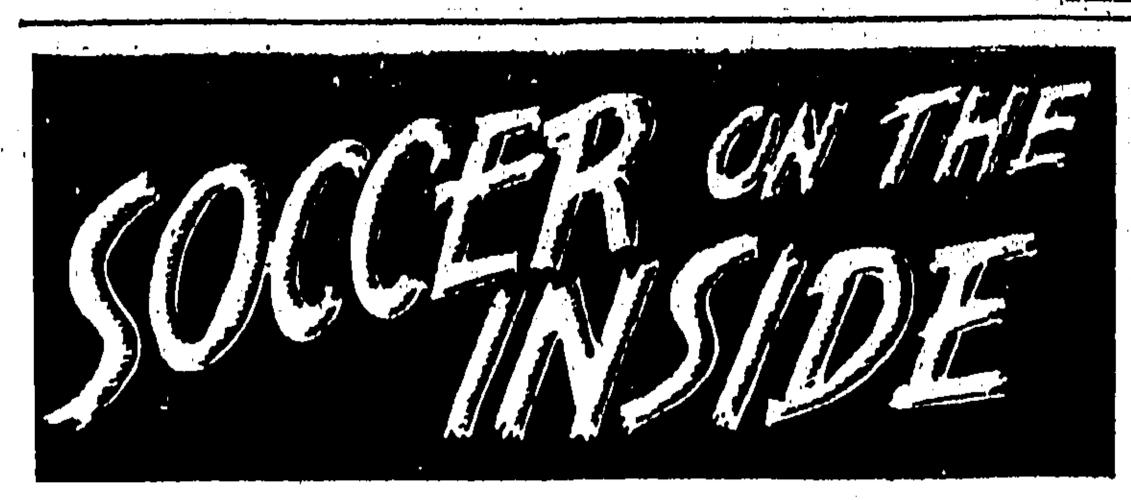
> LEAGUE STANDINGS Present Lengue positions are na followat

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HAR IN A DIFFERENT
STYLE - I'M. TIRED OF IT
LIKE THIS



BALLANTYNE'S "GOLDEN CHURN" PURE CREAMERY

FRESH BUTTER



Edited By SAM LEITCH & TERENCE ELLIOTT

Alf McMichael, Ireland's soccer captain and former Newcastle United skipper, has asked for a transfer.

This is a transfer plea with a difference, a request without bitterness on the part of a player who feels he must make this move after a long spell in the reserves.

His troubles date back to the day this season when he travelled to captain Ireland in Glasgow against the Scots. He had been under treatment for an ankle injury and was ruled out as unfit.

Back home, he lost his place in Newcastle's League team to Ron Batty And Butty has kept the job.

Sporting McMichael and Batty inside forward. George Hannah Sport, takes place at Oporto on are close friends. Alf said at from Belfast club Linfield in a a recently-built stadium. the time that he didn't mind big deal in September 1949. | Swop talk in the Midlands playing in the reserves a time! game."

well, could not be dropped. So McMichael wrote his note Batty is playing so well." to the club he joined with

RACE ENTRIES

The following are the race | is scheduled to take place at Happy Valley on Saturday March |

The main event of the day will either be the Shaukiwan Handleap for Class 2 ponces over one mile and 171 yards or the Pokfulam Handicap over six furlongs, also for Class 2 pontes There will be ten events on the programme Tunglowan Handlenb (Novices)

Class 7 From 2 MP Blossom Time, Bilvisto, Colea, Desert Gold, Festival View, Electroaster Gallant Knight, Henrietta, Invincible. Oceanic Sky, Pearl Diver, Probabi lity, Scrabo, Trade Wind, Tune phone, Vagabond King, V I P Mataukok Handicap Class 6 ling, Comet, Courtler, Emperor De-Flying Dutchman, Hunca Beauty, Peachums, Pegusus, Precious Danny Malloy, Mine. Rebel II

3 Shumshulpo Plate Class 9, 1 Bright Knight, Dashing Beauty II; Dutch Courage, Full Swing, Gladio-Goif. Gracechurch, Horvest Moon; Kerreta, Monetary Fund; Red Feather, Ringdale, South Pacific. Wild Honey, Wild Out, Yat Kwong. 4 Yaumati Plate 1955 Pontes Amusement 147. Bashful Beauty II 152, Dona Maria 147, Ex-Law 152. Night People 132, Orange From 2 MP Anna, Cacsar, Clonfeckle, Eudora, Field Marshal, Fieldmaster, Huntington, leefield, Johnber, Marietta, Meadowbrook, Rain-

g Hok-Un Handicap Class 5 0 Furs Anniversary 10, Another Victory: Attractive Power, Cordon Bleu, Casy Slam, Fel Chi, Fighting Spirit, Fleeting Moment, Good Girl, Barmony: Hiram C. Phoenix, Put O'Gold: Ringway, Silver Dahlia, Thousand Miles, Thy Grey. Chungwan Handleap. Class 7 6 Furn - Barometer; Bayshore; Blac-ing, Ironside, Jennifer, King Rider; Lady Gloucester, Mainsail II; May Blossom; No Regrets; Peacl of Hong-

kong, Roue d'or; Strathpeffer; Timber: Tip Top B. Matauwei Handicap. Class 5 14. Miles. -- Aan Hing, Allied Victory Avoca: Diamond Queen, Fox Hunter: Ginger: Hawker Hunter, Marine Charger: Outsider: Prince Dahlia; The Stranger; United Victory. 9 Poktulam Handleap. Class 2 Furs. -- Ambition; Beat That; Beautiful Lie: Beautiful Star; Crackeriack: Emerald: Fenchurch: Jip On; L'are Triomphe; Norse Girl; Norseman; Potentiality; Star-glo. 10 Tai Hang Handleap. Class 0 From 2 MP-Advancement: Arma-Conqueror; Crown Witness;

that "it's all in the as Ireland's captain, he felt he Aston Villa, and wee Ernie Tayshould have a first team place. But Bakly continued to play "But," he said, "there doesn't seem any chance now. Ron

He says Newcastle have been good to him, that he owes his success in English (cotball Newcastle United.

Player target No. 1 in the country just now is Millwall's side. Could be 18-year-old centre-half Charles Hurley The Cork-born lad is 1 entries for the Hongkong Jockey the subject of weekly inquiries Club Ninth Bace Meeting which by some of the best known America FC of Rio de Janeiro, clubs in the country. But oh, the pricel

> five-figure fees for a lad they America FC in their first-ever picked up for the £10 signing- floodlit match and lost 3-2. on fee to try to scare off bidders, they are certainly succeeding. Says one manager recently; to referee the match-as he did "It's just like asking for John at Rio ('harles'

Hurley replaced Irish International Gerry Bowler January last year. He was signed from youth club soccer.

URGENT PROBLEM

Preston officials make their in Wales. twentieth trip of the season to From 11s M.P. Atomic Caesar, Chai Scotland, Manager Frank Hill will have another look at Dundee Munea, Malador; Moonrush, Orange and Scotland "B" centre-half

Preston's centre-half problem A) Frence, Bitter Sweet, is gaining ungency through the summer-time return home of Australian Joe Marston, now nearing 200 c. nsccutive appear ances since being tried as pivot

Reading and thrustful Dennis pectation 152, Grass-Hopper 152, Uphill (seven goals in the last telleon 147, Ma Cherie 132, Misty two games) have settled their difference. Backstage story from Manager Jack Smith has told

Dennis that, on present form, he certainly could not lose his League place; which means that recently signed centre forward Tommy Dixon from West Ham will not get a League outing with Reading at centre forward for some weeks at least,

Uphill's decision will disappoint many clubs who have long admired his skill. But it took the shrewd switch of manager Smith to exploit deadly opportunism Uphill's near goal.

the Spanish international will chance to play football." be played on the Real Madrid club ground, the Chamartin Stadium, opened last summer and with a capacity of 120,000. International centre half and Free Success; Hawalian Moon; Honey marble-tiered National Stadium the first beam again this season. Dew; Hurry On: New Love; Sou- will not be used. The match, Laurie is unfortunately due for

Hongkong Footballer

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the Year, taking into regard his playing ability

Footballer of the Year for the current season.

the closing date to be announced later.

China Mail, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

(1) Footballing prowess.

To The Editor, China Mail.

McMichael told the club that, features Tommy Thompson, of lor, of Biackpool, with a cash

adjustment for Blackpool. Thompson has not been in the Villa team which has recently elicked with two sound wins ever Huddersfield and Chelsen.

Taylor, transfer-listed last week at his bwn request, will only move to a First Division

Brazil's crack soccer side, imny tour England in April and meet Portsmouth, Four years If Millwall are quoting fat ago, in Rio, Pompey met Nice if Pompey completed the setting by inviting Arthur Ellis Dair.

> Leyton Orient have been so impressed by the form of recent signing Phil Woosnam, the Welsh amateur international inside forward, that they intend enlarging their scouting activities

MAY BE FIRST

Len Stephenson third man in a hat-trick of Blackpool transfer requests (No. 1 Stan Mortensen, No. 2 Ernie Taylor) may be the first to find a new club,

to settle for the tall, 24-yearold attacker as the man who can solve his inside forward problem. Vale have put their cards on the Blackpool table. Coinciding the Hongkong Open Champion- if KCC won the toss in this vital with this Blackpool told Stephen-

forward—so there will be at least one new face in the Pot- in the Junior Championship sults and could mean that the teries within the next few days,

for the North-East, has climate. And who can blame pionship Committee of the Assohim as he says; "Snow and slush every day. That's how it has been since I saw my first England tackle Spain and has restricted the players to one Department, Hongkong & Shong-Portugal in their summer tour practice match. These condi- hai Banking Corporation, Hongon new grounds. On May 18 tions don't give any team the

Laurie Hughes, Liverpool's In Portugal on May 22 the captain, will not be playing for venir: Straight Flush; Tell-me-more; by order of the Ministry of a third operation for cartilage

Softball Inter-school league at King's Park. Div. 1: Army v Eastern (CH) 4.45 to Foil League: HK Sword Club v RAF Little Sai Wan, (EYMCA) 5.30

nominate whom they consider to be Hongkong's p.in. TO-MORROW Combined Services (Club) 7 p.m. Meeting

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Interport Sub-Committee of HKPA Mail, and nomination coupons will be received until 5.30 p.m. Sports Road. Senior Mixed Division: YMCA v

> PRIDAY Badminion Junior Mixed Division: YMCA v Rowloon Tong. Golf

Smalley Cup Semi-final. BATURDAY

The Editor, China Mail.

| Eastern (CH): Western v CAA | be appointed by the Champion-(Navy): Police v Sing Two (ES): ship Sub-Committee. The brand | NAF v Club (Skp). All matches at | of shuttlecock to be used will | of shuttlecock to be used will | of shuttlecock to be used will | and his sportsmanship on the field of play is Prisons. All matches at Happy

Luile Bai Wan v Dairy Farm; REME v Solicitors; Telephone v Dockyard, All matches at Happy Valley at 4.30 p.m. Div. 1: Recreio v CCC; University v Amny "South"; Navy v Sporpions; Optimists v Police; Army "North" v.

HKCFA XI For Second Governor's Cup Match

The Hongkong Chinese Football Association yesterday selected the following to represent the HLE.C.F.A. XI against the H.K.F.A. XI in the second round of the Governor's Cup series, at the Club ground on Sunday March 20: Wai Fat-kim (KMB), Hen Yung-sang (Sing Tao), Lan You (South China), Chan Fai hung (Kitchee), Ko Po-keung (South China) Capt. Tong Shoung (South China), Ho Ying-fun (Ritchee), Ho Cheung-yau (Sing Tao), Loo Yuk-tak (South China), Yiu Chouk - yin (South China), Mok Chun-wah (South China).

Reserves: Tam Nai-huen Szeto Ylu (Sing Tao). (RMB), Ng Rec-cheung (Rwong Wah), Tang Sum Chu Wing-keung Chi - yin Au (Kødnee), (Police), Lo Kwok - tal (Sing Tao) Szeto Man (KMB). Manager: Kwok Team Ying -|shu. Coach; Chu

Entries For Open Championships

Kwok - lum,

Committee of the Hongkong Badmin'en Association held yesterday, it was decided to invite entries for the following events in the Hongkong Annual Open Badminton Championships for the 1954-1955 senson:

Senior Men's Singles-\$10 per Senior Men's Doubles-\$15 per

Senior Mixed Doubles-\$15 per Senior Ludies' Singles-\$5 per

Junior Men's Singles-\$10 per Junior Men's Doubles-\$15 per

Junior Mixed Doubles--\$15 per Junior Ladies' Singles--\$5 per of the press.

Juntor Ladles' Doubles -- \$10

All members of the clubs aftiliated to the Hongkong Badminton Association are eligible to compete. Any player in the Colony not being a member of If he is ready to join Port Vale | any affiliated club may compete manager Freddie Steele is ready in the Championships on payment of an affiliation fee of \$2 in addition to the entrance fees. All players who participated

in any of the Senior events in ships during the past three years game, they would send the Army King 152, Raja 152, Simpatica 147, University, Land 152, happy, happy Reading over the Strange thing is that neighbouring Day 147. The Kangaroo removal of Uphill's name from bouring Stoke are treading the bouring Stoke are treading the the exception of those, who, in but he decided to take first the 1953-1954 season also played knock. This had disastrous re-

> the Senior Divisions of the League this season and desires Newcastle chief Duggie to enter for any Junior events Livingstone, who left Belgium in the Championships should also submit his or her entries grudge against the English for the approval of the Cham-Entries should be submitted

Any player who is playing in

through Club Representatives to Newcastle match on December the Hon. Treasurer, Mr M. A. 27. In that time the weather Oliveira, C/O Current Accounts kong, accompanied by entrance fees not later than Tuesday. March 22. MUST BE WRITTEN

Entries without entrance fees will not be accepted. Only written applications on the Official Entry Form will be accepted.

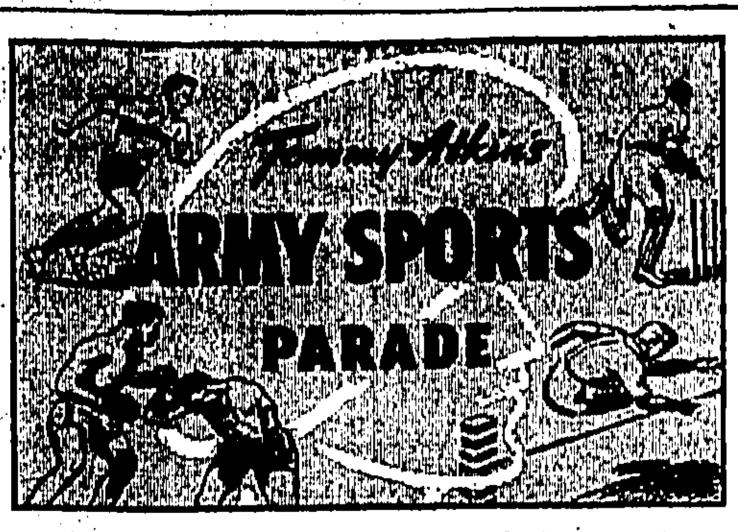
The names of partners doubles events must be submitted at the time of entry and no fictitious names will be accepted. No alteration or substitution of players can be permitted after the draw has been made. Partners in various doubles events need not be members of the samo club.

Junior players are strongly recommended to play also in the Menior events for the improvement of their play, and their participation in Senior events will not debar them from competing in the Junior Championships in future season. Dates and courts for matches

will be arranged by the Championship Sub-Committee and published in the Press. Publication of fixtures in the Press will serve as sufficient notice. Competitors must be at the court and ready to play at the appointed time. Postponement of matches will not be entertained. Subject to the approval of clubs concerned, matches will be played at St Teresa's Church p.m.: Navy v Sing Tao (Navy) 4.30 gower Cricket Club and Taikoo p.m.: Police v Kwong Wah (DS)

> Umpires for all matches will Representatives and the Press, The Championships will commence on Monday, April 4, 1955, for all Junior events; Mid-April (after return of Thomas Cuppore) for all Senior events.

Entries are subject to the approval of the Championship Sub-Committee, who are empowered to make any additions or amondments to these rules from time to time, and whose decision will:



The Top Spot on the Sports Parade has now become an established medium for acknowledgment of a job well done, an outstanding achievement, or an appreciation of a particularly fine display of sportsmanship.

This week it would be possible to stretch the Top Spot more than half-way down the column...and even then there would be others still worthy of recognition.

on the fine standard of sporting morrow afternoon starting at activity in the Army in the 4 p.m. The other games—with Colony at the present time, but the possible exception of 25 Fd. it makes difficult for me to de- Regt, v. 27 HAA Regt, -will be cide just who should be ac- played next Wednesday. corded the Spot of Honour.

ments I am in a sort of 'heads | you win-tails I lose' predicument, but I am certain there will the marginal frames and march the Red and Green shirted spotlight.

The visit of the Fijian side At a meeting of the Executive | has been more than just a shot- | played on Wednesday, March 30 in-the-arm to the game here in and brings together 6 C. O. D. Hongkong, it has stimulated and Command Workshops, It is interest in places where there | understood that as both teams was little interest before. They play their rugby with a fresh- is being made to our good ness and with an utter lack of friends of the Hongkong Police really enjoyable entertainment their ground at Boundary Street. cannot help making friends at 3 o'clock. ... probably because their enthusiasm for the game is 50 infectious.

Senior Ladies' Doubles -- \$10 | the Fijians without paying com- | South China in the finals of pliment to the excellent way both the Senior and Junior their visit to the Colony has Shields. These games will be been managed and handled by played at the Club Stadium in the Army Rugby Association what will be a real gala occaofficials. This is not only my ston personal view it is one I have heard expressed by other sections

> Well Played Army South... playing bright aggressive cricket they decisively defeated their friendly rivals from KCC at Sookunpoo on Saturday afternoon. Clarks got seven wickets then the opening batsmen ran up to 109 before being separated and had the satisfaction of secing the KCC total passed with only two wickets down.

It was generally expected that will not be cligible to compete side to the wicket and let them championship which KCC virtually had in their grasp may yet land elsewhere,

BOXING CHAMPIONS

The I Bn Northamptons, Land Forces Team Boxing Champions, that in many years of watching will leave the Colony at the week-end to take part in the FARELF Final at Singapore, It spirited performance of Lt. has now been ascertained that Sweeney (14th Fd. Regt.) in their opponents will be 30 Bn. the vital relay. Taking over RAOC, the Singapore cham- the baton on the last leg 15, pions, who defcated 15/19 yards behind a top class runner Hussars, the winners of the like Lt. Burch Sweeney put up Malaya section, in the semi-final, a magnificent effort to snatch After their fine showing at Fan- victory by inches. ling we shall look forward to early news of further success by the Northamptons.

'Georgie' and it looks as though on the Georgie will be Barker the big trooper is going to be a and Leary who have played hive of pugilistic activity for in addition to the Northamptons' colours. 14-man team there will be 13 more boxers on their way take part in the FARELF dividual Championships. spite of the big contingent the Hongkong individual representation is not going to be quite as strong as had been anticipated.

five Land Forces champions are Army 'B' team. Here his natural unable to make the trip. They good humour and his knowledge are Sgt. Inst. Weaver (Light), of the Chinese footballer proved L/Bdr. Ruffle (Welter). Cfn. invaluable in helping new Travers (Middle), L/Bdr. Bur- players to settle down quickly, gess (Lt. Heavy), Pic. Healey | Leary is probably one of the (Heavy). Nevertheless there are some Army has had at its disposal this

will be a big disappointment if for which he was a prolific goalwe do not see a fair sprinkling scorer, was often brilliant yet of FARELF title-holders among somehow he never quite fulfilled them when they return to the his promise when promoted to

the U.S.R.C. will take place at forward to news of their football. the Club next Wednesday activities in the future. March 23 at 6 p.m. The committee is most anxious that there should be a large turn-out of Army sococo enthusiasts are

starting out on a programme of big games that will keep them well entertained right up to the ond of the month. CALDBECK CUP

finals of the Caldbeck Cup is as follows: 25 Fd. Regt. RA. v. 27 And finally a reminder for HAA Regt. RA.; 1 King's Own Army Soccor Referees ... The Command Workshops v. Humars; 42 Fd. Regt. R.A. v. 1 | Chatham Road NAAFI nt 10

Workshope and 7th Hussars will record breaking attendence]

This is an excellent reflection; be played at Boundary Street to-

The final of the Major Units With so many fine achieve- Knock-out Competition between 25 Fd. Regt. R. A. and 27 H. A. A. Regt. R. A. will be played off next Wednesday. The be few quibbles if I strengthen game is provisionally fixed for Sookunpoo although there is a possibility that it may be played Fijlan rugby team into the at the Club Stadium, The kickoff is scheduled for 3 o'clock,

The Minor Units Final will be are located in Kowloon a request convention that makes for for the game to be played on . . and somehow they just Once again the game will start The big date of course in the

soccer calendar is Saturday. March 26 when the Army re-It would be wrong to mention presentaive sides will meet ORGANISATION TRIUMPH

> The Major Units Athletic Team Championship meeting at Boundary Street last Saturday was another triumph of immaculate organisation. It also provided a closeness of competition that even the organisers could hardly have forescen, but it was certainly a closeness of competition that kept the spectators — and competitors — on tenterhooks right up to the final

Congrutulations to 27 HAA RA on their meritorious, if somewhat unexpected victory. They showed a fine sense of team work but their margin of only half a point over 14th Fd. Regt. RA gives some indication of the tense situation that existed as the closing events were taking 1st Bn. Essex Regt., who

started favourites, finished in third place seven points behind the winners, but in such company even this was a grand performance. One observer said athletes in action, he has seldom seen anything to better the ARMY'S LOSS

Once again a departing troopship leaves Army football the The team will be aboard the poorer. Returning to the UK many fine games in Army

In his two seasons here Barker made many appearances in the Senior side at right back and In right half and has been the regular right-back since Wallace left the Colony. However, his best work from a team point of view was done as skipper of this This comes about because senson's the very successful best natural footballers the fine fighters in our party and it season. His play in the 'B' side,

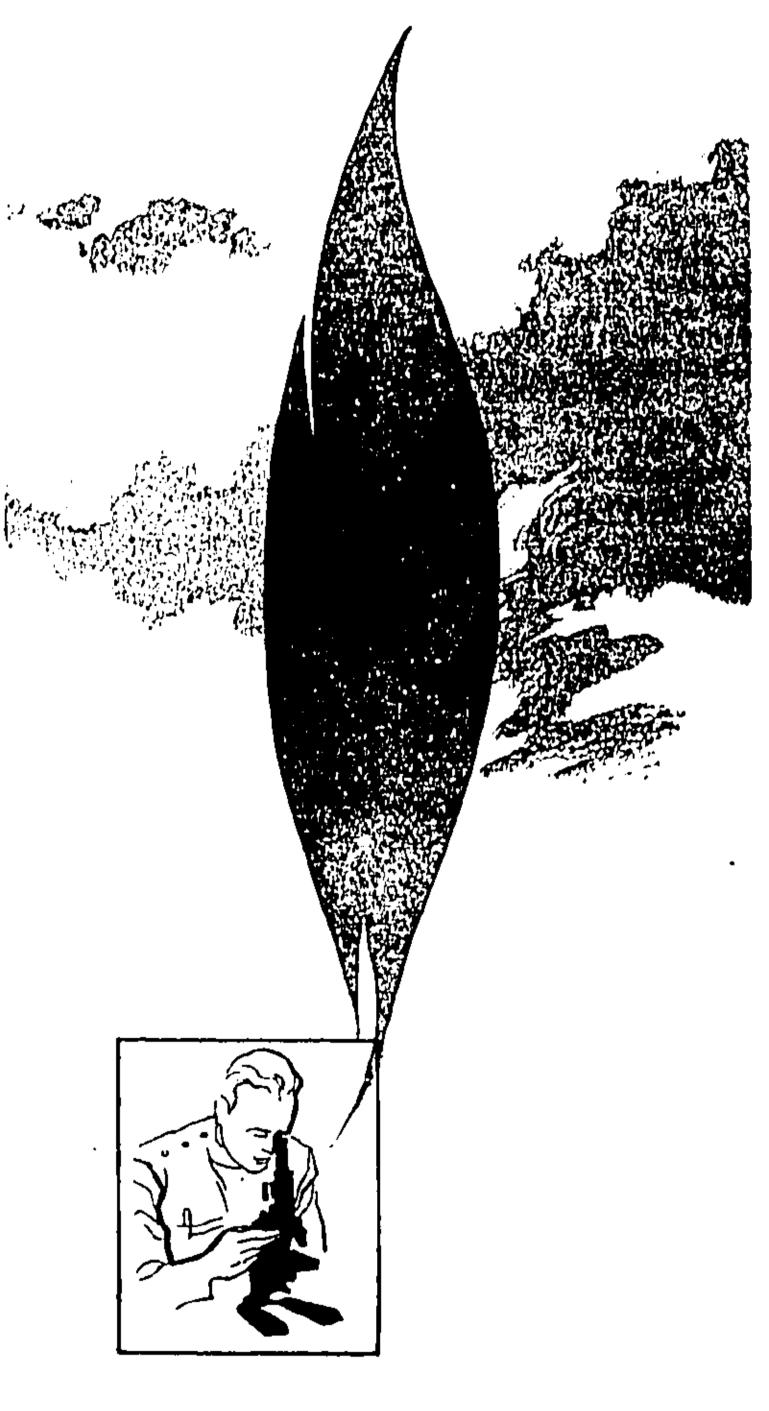
the senior team. Both players will be missed.

A timely reminder to officers. We wish them well on their The Annual General Meeting of return home and we shall look It seems impossible to keep 27

| HAA Regt, RA out of the news this week. Here they are again and this time as competitors in one of these popular Red Duster' Boxing Tournaments at the Missions to Scamen on Friday evening. This time the Gunners are tackling a team from HMNZS Kaniere. Boxing is due to start at 8 o'clock.... The draw for the quarter- and it looks a very good bill too.

Rogt, v. 72 LAA Regt, R.A., next meeting of referees will 7th take place at the Tavern in the o'clock on Saturday April 2. The metch between Command Are we going to see unother

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Friday Morning the 18th March, 1955

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Tuesday Evening

the 22nd March, 1955 Service will be suspended from 700 p.m. to 1.00 n.m.

Wednesday Morning the 23rd March, 1955

The first ferry will commence at 7.20 n.m. instead of 6.20 n.m.

Tuesday Evening the 29th March, 1955

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"AGAPENOR"

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents

Hongkong, March 10, 1988.

NOTICE

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with the Statement of

Accounts for the year ended

(31st December, 1954, to re-

delect a Director and to appoint

The Transfer Books of the

Company will be closed from

the 5th March, 1955 to the 18th

March, 1955, both days in-

By Order of the Board,

Hongkong, 17th Feb., 1955.

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Britain, 9 a m. Hongkong, 16th Mar., 1955. NOTICE

JACKAL HUNT

Johannesburg, Mar. 15. At the end of a threeday jackal hunt in the Wolmaransstad district of the Transvani, in which about 1,000 farmers took part, 31 jackals were killed.

Jackals have been taking a heavy toll of stock recently and the South African Wool Board has estimated that Jackula kill 320,000 sheep annually. Farmers in light trucks

and Joepa and 200 on horseback combed Wolmaransstad hills and surrounding area, Jeeps carried cylinders of cyanide gas which was forced down holes where jackals were likely to take refuge.-China Mali Special.

Mail

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16 Thailand, Malaya, Indonesia, Australia, New Zesland, Ceylon, 6 p.in.

Switzerland, Denmark, Notway Sweden, 0 p.m. Formosa, 6 p.m. By Surface

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Philippines, Guam, Howall, 18A. 1 pm China People's Republic, 8:30 a m

FRIDAY, MARCH 18 Thalland, Burma, India, Pakistan,

Egypt, Switzerland, France, Great Formost, Japan, Korea, 10 a.m. Japan, U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m. Malaya, Indonesia, Australia, New Zenland, Ceylon, 6 p.m.

East Great Britain & Europe,

Altitude Record

Helicopter Sets Evita's Monument Will



to the contract of the contrac PILFERING **PORTS**

London Mar. 15. British exporters are suffering considerable losses from thieves in foreign ports. There have been hig hauls, as well as much small pillering In Colombo, a consignment of 10 tons of steel was stolen.

Liverpool Underwriters' coclation says that failure to for the first time this year, it of Bonn's Government section. take prompt delivery is one of was announced here today. the main reasons for thefts.

Middle packing of goods. Manufac- a number of years, will come turers are urged to make more here specially for the ceremony. use of firms specialising in packing for overseas markets.

> Another reason is bad labelling and marking.

These increase the risk of pilfering by causing delays while goods are in transit.-London Express Service.

Farty thansand and ninety metres over the snowcapped Swiss Alps hovers this French joi helicopterto set up a new world altitude record for helicoptera-Express Photo.

Sibelius Medal For Stravinsky

Helsinki, Mar. 15. World famous composer Igor The annual report of the Stravinsky has been awarded

Mr Stravinsky, who has been Another cause is the poor living in the United States for

> The Sibelius Gold Medal was created in 1950 by the "Finnish Cultural Fund" and is given every five years to the foreign children, overturned while composer who has done the rounding a curve on a dirt road most to serve the cause of in- eight miles south of Florence, ternational culture. The medal South Carolina, today. Six of carries with it a prize of \$30,000, the children were injured .--France-Presse.

Andrew Committee of Committee o New Embassy For Japs

Bonn, Mar. 15. The Japanese Embassy here teday moved into new quarters next door to the residence of President Theodor Heuss of West Germany and only a stone's throw from the offices of Dr Konrad Adenouer, the Chan-

The Embassy had been accommodated in a two storey villa on the Venusberg (Hill) outside Bonn. Its new and

turesque Rhine Valley from his 200,015 pesos. new office.-China Mail Special.

Lucky Escape

New York, Mar. 15. A school bus carrying 94 Negro United Press.

Works have been digging 91 feet down to lay the foundations for a shrine which, with the exception of Egypt's pyramids, will probably become the biggest funerary monument in the world.

A shrine, about 445 feet high, to commemorate

Close to the Presidential palace and flanked

the life and the work of Evita, President Peron's

late wife and "flagbearer of the workers," is

taking shape a stone's throw from where she lived.

by the imposing Faculty of Law, whose doric

colonnade constitutes one of the city's landmarks,

brigades of masons from the Ministry of Public

Buenos Aires, Mar. 15.

Dominate

prophesised that the work the Palermo gardens, would never be begun have been proved wrong.

FUNDS POURING IN

Funds are pouring in from the public together with gifts of cement, stone and marble. A single firm has provided all the steel and Iron needed, free of

Now, the foundations are completed and a contract has been signed for the construction the Sibelius Gold Medal, given bigger quarters are in the centre of the concrete shell, consisting of a memorial hall and pedestal The Ambassador, Mr Shunichi upon which the main figure is Kase, can overlook the ple- to stand. The cost is set 19.

The memorial hall and the pedestal will support a figure 195 feet high representing a working man who, to judge by the model which has been on tour in Buenos Aires and other Argentine cities, has the proportions and the countenance, although not exactly the features, of President Peron.

People will have access to the top by means of four lifts and

Its inauguration will not be through peep windows will be possible for at least another able to enjoy a penoramic view three years. But those here who of the city and, at their feet,

> The marble memorial hall will be decorated with sculptured groups by an Italian sculptor, Leon Tommasi, symbolising the achievements of the Peronisto era with special reference to Evita's contributions

In a crypt below the centre of the hall, the remains of Evita will rest in a silver coffin weighing 880 lbs.

IN FAMILY VAULT

Her body which after her death was taken to the headquarters of the General Confederation of Labour where she received the homage of her friends, now lies temporarily in the family vault at the cemet-

But today, two and a half years after she "plunged into immortality," Evita continues to be very much alive in the hearts of many Argentiniana from her who benefitted Foundation, her continuous struggle to improve the condition of workers, and her endeavours to help the children and the infirm.

The monument will be but a material expression of remembrance.

Now, whenever Congress meets, whenever Trade Unions gather in assembly, at all public reunions organised by the Government, by the General Confederation of Labour or the Peronista Party, a minute's silence is observed in memory of Evita.

July, 26, the anniversary of her death, has become a day of national mourning, with shops, cinemas, theatres and restaurants all closed.

WREATHS LAID

Distinguished foreign visitors, as a matter of routine, seldem start upon their official duties without first laying two wreathsat the temb of the the country, of General Jose de San Martin, in the Cathedral, the other at the provisional shrine of Evita, at the headquarters of the General Confederation of Labour.

Her photograph is in all public offices. Busts of her have been ceremonially placed in railway stations, factories, trade union headquarters and ships. Fresh flowers adorn them everyday. Liners, towns, provinces, hospitals, streets and schools throughout the nation have been named after her.

A controversial figures when she was alive, the storm she unleashed has now shated and although she has ceased to be a political force, Evita, whom a law of Congress proclaimed the "Spiritual Leader of the Nation," remains a symbol. To those who followed her in life, her memory today is a source of inspiration to continue her fight.—China Mail Special.

Mediterranean 'Atomic War

London, Mar. 15.

An "atomic - bombardment" was one of the highlights of Royal Navy manocuvres taking place today in the pre-sence of the Duke of Edinburgh in the Mediterranean.

A British Admirelty communique on the manocuvres said that many of the "enemy" fighter aircraft in a mock attack against to convoy were shot down by fighter planes based on the aircraft carriors Contaur, and Albion, and that others came within the range of the Navy's guns,

of the four attacking sub-marines, which dogged the convoy, two were listed "probably eunk."-- France-Presso.

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN









By Lee Falk and Phil Davis







NANCY









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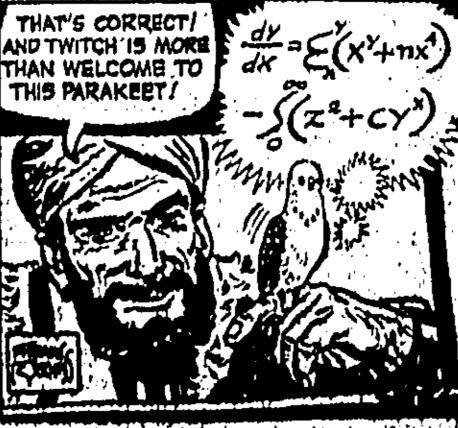


By Frank Robbins

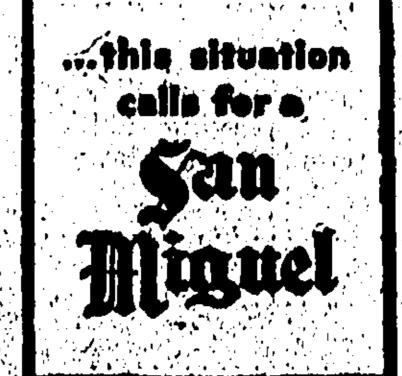


JOHNNY HAZARD









NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT

Due to unavoidable circumstances the presentation

"RELATIVE VALUES"

of the play.

has had to be postponed and will now be presented as a

Festival of the Arts production on April 22nd and 28rd. Ticket holders may exchange their tickets for the new dates, at Skinners, or if they prefer may obtain a refund. The committee deeply regret any inconvenience caused by this change of plans.

AIRLINES AFTER DOLLARS

American airlines flying international routes are making preparations for what they hope will be their greatest travel year.

Steamship lines also expect a continuation of the steady climb in passenger totals under way since the end of World War II.

The nirlines will be trying-by increasing flights, expanding low fare service, and pushing "take your vacation now and pay later" plans—"o increase stil, further their share of travel

During the past six years, as the accompanying map shows, doubted their activity in all three directions from the United States.

NORTH ATLANTIC They increased the number of passengers carried across the North Atlantic by more than 125 per cent. while ateamship passages gained only 38 per cent.

To South America, airline possages jumped 146 per cent white steamships made no gain at all Across the Pacific. airlines now are carrying 520 per cent more passengers than they did in 1946, white the ship trude merenaed 50 per

On two of these routes, however, boats will carry more porsons than aircraft. Last y arslightly more than \$10,000 second the North Atlantic by boat while 580,000 flew. That pave eleaniship for a 58 per cent of the trade. Ships provided transportation for 116,000 Axion travellers e: 1954, to GOVE DANS 102,000 carried by the audiness It's a different stry on the over-water soutes to South America Most traveller go south by air 220,000 in 1254 to 45,000 on thips

Both air and ship lines have been able to marea e trade over the six-year period because of the steadily in reasing number of reisone going aboard ever since the end of the war. This is the result of the high postwar level of govcroment activity overseas. The rising level of American business investment in foreign countries, and the fact that inrecent years. Americana have had more vacation time and more monéy to spend

BIG WEAPON One of the big weapons in the airline drive for an ever-increasing share of the travel trade in "pay later" plans, introduced first by

Pan American World Air-

ways on May 1, 1954. A Pan American spokesman describes "pay later" as "probably the single most important stores fro travel stimulator that has been belong devised in recent years " the six months the plan was in effect at Pan American last [year, it accounted for nearly three billion dollars in sales Under this system, a traveller need pay only 10 per cent down on oither a ticket or a complete tour package -- the allexpenses paid tourist trips the airlines have set up to com- New York Foreign pete with tourist cruise ships

tomer has up to 20 months to pay the balance of his fare With the start of the peak England offered 2.79 1/16 summer season for European travel drawing near, the two p blg American overseas airline Australia TWA-have announced plans India for stopping up service.

The airlines tage care of all

financing details and the cus-

TWA, now inaking 56 oversens flights a week, will boost the trans-Atlantic total to 78 in May and in June run it to 92. NORTH WEST Pan American plans to

increase its European service by 32 per cent. In the Pacific. North West expects to nearly double its business from the West Coast The steamship lines—unable West Marks

with the ease of the airlinesnevertheless expect to see another increase in their passenger totals. Guiseppe Cosulich,

chairman of the trans-Atlantic unofficial exchange market this Passenger Conference, states morning at the following rates:that "additional tonnage will U.S. dollar (pur \$1) ... available on the North Atlantic."

TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION Free Market

Dollar Rate

The free market dollar

Rio de Janeiro, Mar. 15.

rate continued to soar to-

day and reached the all-

time high of 89 cruxeiros

per dollar-seven cruzciros

above the closing quotation

losing ground for the past

few months but the decline

gained momentum last

week, with the national currency reaching the

lowest level in Brazil's

Spiralling demand for

dollar exchange was attri-

buted to the slump in

Bruzil's dollar income re-

suiting from seriously reduced coffee exports. --

HONGKONG

STOCK

EXCHANGE

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Hong-

kong Stock Exchange this morn-

ring amounted to \$830,020. Noon.

SHARES BUYERS SELLERS SALES

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JAP TRADE WITH SOVIET BLOC

No Substantial Pickup -Anticipated Under Premier Hatoyama

By JOHN MORKA

New York, Mar. 15.

U.S. financial circles here anticipate no substantial pickup in the volume of Japanese trade with the Soviet Union and Communist China under the leadership of Premier Hatoyama.

In commenting on Premier Ichiro Hatoyama's victory in the Japanese national elections, hope was held for some improvement along these lines by these same circles. But no one anticipates an improvement in such trade to a level which might appreciably improve Japan's economic balance and overall international trade position.

the estail are packup in trade of the seriousness of Japan's one of the Japanese manufacis all the nominal and its effect ventime plight, it is held in a psychological than actual Even if Japan should evento the succeed in doubling the

Markets 7 05 7 10 1000 0 7 10

New York, Mar. 15 Cotton prices held firm throughout the afternoon but a sudden spurt half an hour before the close boosted prices as much as \$1.30 a bale. However, 9 cents of this rise was lost by the close, Nearby March expired at 12.30 on a final trading range 33.46-50, which was 14 to 18 points above the previous close, Light (N) 13 80 14 2000 or 13 70 At the close, prices ruled 10 to from the United States. 16 points higher.

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LIVERPOOL Prices of futures, American middling, in pence per lb. closed today as follows: May/June July/Aug. Oct/Nov.

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crease the number of berths Singapore (Straits) Indo-China plastres (per 100) 9.55 United Press.

despite. Mr. packent volume of trade with the a schedulist of development. H. Same campaign piedge to Soviet bloc nutions, the negligoods. Report trade with Red China cresult, at that improved level; Then again, China might not and the Sover Union at is felt; would still be roadl in the light; be too eager to take in exchange.

ENCOURAGED

Japanese businessmen, it was pointed out, would undoubtedly total Japanese exports. Japanese be encouraged by the Hatoyama | 12 per cent of the total World Cotton Administration to explore all the apossibilities of expanding trade with both the Seviet Union and mainland China.

> was printed out, would prob- in 1954 ably not stand two firmly in the Total Japan-Russia trade in way of such attempts by Japan 1953 amounted to less than 1 to bolster its trade position, pro- \$1,000,000. Although this ug- Jan, 7. vided of course that such ex- gregate total increased to about punsion did not conflict with the \$2% million in 1954, the volume American policy of restricting is considered here altogether intrade in so-called strategic goods consequential to offer much hope as governed by the Battle Act, of any sizable increment, Besides, The Battle Act imposes a ban on it is pointed out, Russia, like exports of strategic goods by Japan, needs raw materials, and nations receiving aid or credit two-way trade between the two

AUSTERITY POLICY

In general, American financial Trirelts foresce a continuation of the present austerity policy, with equally strong emphasis on a developing new export markets negotiations non member nations 970,000. production costs and in effect of the General Agreement on The American Stock Exholding to the main outlines of the deflationary policy instituted; by Jormer Premier Yoshida about 14 months ago.

Some sources here anticipate some form of mild relaxation of Japan could profit by trade with present restraints in business the West rather than turn to the money will become "less tight" Soviet bloc, it is pointed out by under the Hatoyama regime Press. Interest rates for business. borrowing will probably ease somewhat, it is expected.

the Hatoyama Administration will encourage the growth of economic nationalism within Japan, Japanese business men and financiers will be encouraged to undertake new commitments! LE on their own. There will be less emphasis, it felt by some

FULLER REIN

But the new emphasis will be on giving Japanese interests a broader and fuller rein and psychological push in economic development of nation, it is pointed out. It is felt that on the whole,

international tension in the Far East, revolving about Formosa and other critical preas of contention in Southeast Asia, rather than wholly Japonese factors, serve to exercise the greater effect on the disposition of Much importance is attached what are considered two very important posts in the Japanese Government, namely that of the Ministry of Finance and the Governor of the Bank of Japan. It is felt that the reappointment of Mr Hisato Ichamada as Financo Minister and Mr Elkichi Araki as Governor of the Central Bank of Japan will reflect Mr

the last few months. WELL KNOWN Both of these men are well known in US banking and Government circles and are highly respected for what is considered their sound monetary and fiscal judgment.

There is some ecupticism here

Hatoyama's desire to proceed

with the deflationary policy of

over Japan's ability to trade profitably with Communist China and Soviet Union, where it is felt, economic policies are linked directly to political strategy. Japan, it is pointed out, might find China unwilling to share her resources of raw cotton; coking coal and from ore, for example, and might be willing to do so only in exchange for

tures, such as textiles In 1953, Japan's exports to Communist China totalled | \$4,500,000, or 0.35 per cent of imports totalled \$29,700,000, or

IMPORTS DOUBLED

Imports from Red China And the United States, it doubled and exports quadrupled.

> countries is accordingly viewed as complementary.

Some experts feel that in Hatoyama may in effect be strongthening his Government's 5 points. position in the world-wide! a formula for similar trade. There is likely to be more of nations to arrive at some!

There is some belief, too, that the Hatoyama Administration World Rubber Markets

Singapore, Mar. 15. The rubber market opened observers, that forgeign invest- lower on overseas advices but ments will still be sought as later steadled on political ten- Canadian Pacific Railway ... heretofore, as will technical sion. The market, however, Case (J. I.) Co. failed to sustain improvement, Chile Copper and cased in the afternoon on Chrysler Motors liquidation and profit-taking. Future closings: No. 1 rubber per 1b. Apr. 8936-8936

No. 2 rubber per 1b. Apr. 88-8814 Spot rubber unbaled Blanket crepe No. 1 pale creps 93-94

NEW YORK Futures today closed unchanged to 25 points lower. The market was off as much as 1/2 cent a pound during the day on lower London and Singapore cables, but railled slightly following Secretary of State Mr John Foster Dulles' talk on the Far Eastern situation. Spot No. 1 Rss were quoted unchanged at 3% cents a pound, nominal, futures:

July 30.36 Sept. 29.95 Dec. 29.55 The market was erratic. No. spot Rss were quoted at 261/4 pence per lb. Prices: No. 1 spot Rss ... 26-2614 Settlement house term:

May 30.35

April 2514-26 May 2514-26

Zetate crepe The market was steady. Prices closed today in guilders per kilogram, cif April as follows: Ne. 1 ribber 2.55 huyers No. 2 rubber 2.55 huyers No. 3 rubber 2.51 buyers No. 1 crape 2.65 buyers

STOCK **MARKET**

BEST GAIN IN 16 YEARS

New York, Mar. 15. on the heels of a \$10,000,-

leaders in the aircrafts, steels, steel. rails, metals, oils, shipbuilders, motors and a host of special average, nearly wiping out yesterday's \$3,000,000,000 loss.

4 points in the group used in creased to 2,400,000 tons a year. the averages and to more than | Last year the plants had an 7 points elsewhere.

since Sept. 5, 1939, the day after little more than 1,000,000 tone Hitler's troops marched on in 1949-50. TECHNICAL NATURE

Market men said the rise was i technical in nature, coming after taking accentuated by concern completed this vir over the market investigation now under way in Washington, Turnover totalled only 3,161. 000 shares compared with yes-

| terday's 4.200.000.

Of a total 1,235 issues traded, 1800 were higher, 198 lower. Rails kept pace with industrials, climbing 3.38 points on average in their best gain since

Utilities added 33 cents. AIRCRAFT FEATURES

Aircraft features included Douglas, United and Chanco Vought, up 3 points or more, in the steels. Bethlehem rose coal supplies, and migration. more than 3, Crucible, Republic, Armeo more than 2 points, Activity centred in General Dynamics which rose more points: Pennsylvania pressing at this time, Mr Railroad, up a point and Royal Dutch, with its gains of nearly

The New York Stock Exchange bond volume was \$4,-

Dow-Jones closing averages pressure on the Western bloc on Wall Street today were as

30 industrials 65 stocks expert observers here,....United Comm. future price index 156.27 YESTERDAY'S PRICES

Alden Inc Acy. Allied Chemicals Allia Chalmers American Airline American Tel & Tel American Tobacco "B" Anaconda Copper Armeo Steel Armour Balwin-Lima-Hamilton Baltimore & Ohio Bendix Aviation Corp Commercial Credit Consolidated Edison Continental Steel Corn Products Cuban American Sugar Curtis Wright Dupont de Nemours Eastman Kodak General Electric General Foods General Motors Goodyear Tire & Rubber ... Homstake Mining Co. International Business International Nickel International Paper International Tel & Tel ohn-Manville Co. Kennecott Copper Lookheed Aircraft Leows Incorp.

Lone Star Cement Co. Minnesota Mining Montgomery Ward National Cash Register "A" National Distillers National Lead New York Central Otis Elevators
Pacific Gas & Electric
Pacific Western Oil
Pan American Airways Philips Petroleum
Pittsburgh Plate Gloss Radio Corporation Republic Steel
Shell Oil Co.

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Studebaker-Packard Corp. Union Carbide
Union Packle Railway
United Gas. Imp

U.S. Line Co. U.S. Rubber United States Smelting Warner Bros. Westinghouse Electric

NEW YORK Aust. Third Biggest Steel Producer In Commonwealth

Sydney, Mar. 15.

In terms of steel production Australia is third The stock market today, only to Britain and Canada in the British Commonwealth, and fourteenth on the world list, states 000,000 loss, chalked up its the BHP Review published by Broken Hill Industrial shares, paced by Proprietary Co. Limited, producers of Australian

The industry has spent nearly | they had taken 74 per cent of issues, soured 7.92 points on £A50,000,000 on new capital the extra jobs created at Newworks since 1945, states the castle and Port Kembia, since Review, and capacity for mak- 1949. Individual gains ranged over ing ingot steel has been inoutput of about 2,100,000 tons of The overall gain was the best ingot steel, compared with a

STRIP MILL

Port Kembla (New South five sessions of heavy selling in | Wales) is now producing more the past six trading days. This ingot steel than Newcastle (New selling was overdone in the South Wales) and it will go opinion of many in the street further ahead when a continuous with normal interval of profit- strip mill and timplate plant are

> The BHP Review says that the directors of Broken Hill Proprietory Ltd have sought to keep pace with the growing demand for motor cars, refrigerators, washing machines, railway rolling stock, building materials, household effects and Straits Steamship domestic and office furniture. United Engineers Ordinary

Apart from the huge capital Hongkong Tin investment by, and on behalf of Petaling Tin BHP shareholders, the two factors which had been responsible for the increase in steel output were improvement ir

placed Australian workers, but morning.

Singapore Stock Market

Singapore, Mar. 16. Brokers today quoted the following stock prices: British Borneo Petroleum Consolidated Tin Smelters, Ordinary femue \$1,97 France and Neave Ltd. 715% cum pref. Hougkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation (Colonial Re-Malayan Brewertes Singapore Cold Storage South British Innumnce Straits Trading with div.-Chine Mail Special,

SUGAR MARKET

The New York Sugar Market Migrants had in no sense dis- quotations were not received this

Fast regular freight - refrigerator service to Korea, Japan, Indo-China, Slam, Majaya, Calcutta Chittagong. Rangoon, and

"NOREVERETT"

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MOTORS AND GENERATORS.

JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

The Pictures

IT was a kindly thought on "Where was this cine the part of Mary's land- the magistrate asked her. lord. He and his daughter were off to the West End to | the cinema. Mary, he knew. was alone in her room. He was the picture you saw?" knocked on her door, "How Mary thought hard for long about coming up West with minutes "Can't remember what us?" he said.

" Macy began (h change for you". The landlord's man-hours the picture had pr

persuaded, and the trio set off

lord suggested they all had another to recall the masterpiece,

coffee

A BREATH OF AIR

stay outside here. I think light-me after a show, isn't it'" was that warm in the pictures | "Yes, sir," said Mary, and China's President Chiang Kal-I want a breath of an more hodded violent agreement than anything "

The others went into a restnurmit, Mary strolled about

Stationed discreetly in the shadows of the narrow street nem Pacadilly Circus where Mary and taking the air was a policeman and presently Mary

attracted his attention. ONLY WAITING

TIE could have sworn, and II indoed did swear next morning that he saw Mary thrust her attentions on two or Javlour i

Mary, a tall, pale woman, this morning. plended guilty to that charge

asked Mary what she had to say. "I wasn't doing nothing," she said bleakly, "only waiting for of air after those pictures."

A SECOND CHANCE

66 DUT you pleaded guilty you?" Mary said resign-

"You'd better after your plea," said the magistrate, and he called upon the policeman to take the oath and give his evidence

m full "Now would you like to go into the witness-box?" Mr Robey asked Mary, when the officer's stery was done. She nodded "What do you do?" she was

asked. "I work in restaurants." sistance now '

'TOWN'

cinema .

I manage on the as-"Now about last night?" Mary told of her visit to the

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"Where was this cinema?" IN THE STRAND

U the Strand, I think." "What it was called," she said at last "Can't remember much about

I thought of the money and daughter seconded the suggest ably cast, and of the pride many doubtless had in the finished article, and of the superintives Mary allowed herself to be the publicity men would have uped to describe it. And the They saw the picture, and end result of all that effort was

"I think this may have been a migunderstanding" the magistrate said to Mary "I'll give noted with interest Mr Dulles" DUT Mary said, "You two go you the benefit of the coubt. 1) and have your coffee, Ull, Bu at's better to go straight

> "Very well, case dismissed. you may go," Mr Robey said. and Mary went, hurrying off to her lodgings to tell of her adventure, which unlike the picture she had seen, would live for a long time in her mind

Action Settled

A former member of the three passers-by. He walked up (Chinese Nationalist Government to her. "I'm arresting you," he now a refugee in Hongkong, said. "for using insulting be- Cheng Szu-quan, obtained \$2,500 damages for libel in an action which was sottled before Next morning at Bow Street, District Judge A D Scholes

The defendants in the action The policeman told briefly were Tong Nam, printers und what he had seen, then the publishers, and the weekly magazine, Newsdom (Sinwen magistrate, Mr. E G Robey, magazine, Tenti), of 149 Des Voeux Road

Cheng alleged he was libelled in an article in the issue of Street, second floor, was fined my triends and having a breath October 10, 1953, and claimed \$800 by Mr Hin-shing Lo at \$5,000 damages

> announced this morning that a licence reached settlement had been The ment be entered for \$2,500 for balance within p month that the magazine publish an house, he said apology (in a form agreed to) on the first page after the cover, occupying at least a

quarter of the page. Mr J C Stewart appearing for the defendants, agreed to these terms and expressed "the sincere regrets of the defendants that, partly due to a misunderstanding the libel took place at

Judge Scholes entered judgment in the agreed terms,

Dulles Pleases London

London, Mar. 15. US Secretary of State John Foster Dullea echoed Britain's sentiments on the Formosa problem in the press conference he made today, Foreign Office circles said tonight.

These circles said Mr Dulles' press conference today marked the first time he has explicitly said the two Chinas could settle the Formosa problem immediately by rejecting the use of force, without necessarily re-

nouncing their territorial claims. These circles said Foreign Secretary Sir Anthony Eden has repeatedly put forth the same idea as that contained in the Dulles' statement.

British diplomats said they statement in which he said the United States would use its influence to try to get Nationalist a possible solution to the thorny Formosa problem,

In a recent speech made before the House of Commons Sir Anthony lauded US efforts to reduce the risks of war in the Formosa area, these diplomats

They said it was row up to Communist Chang to reply to Mr Dulles' offer to hiep bring about a peaceful solution. If the Communists rejected the cat is reduced to reply to t here would be no hope for a accommisation of the two opposing camps, those diplomats said France-Presse.

DANGEROUS

Chan Lun, 25, of 25, Sai Central this morning for storing His solicitor, Mr Y H. Chan, dangerous goods without

Mr Wong Wai-choi, Divisional Officer, Hongkong, Fire Brigade agreed terms were that judg- asked the Court to take a serious view of the case. It was a most the plaintiff of which \$1,500 dangerous practice to carry out was to be paid at once and the a trade involving the use of indiffammable liquid in tenement

On March 9, a small fire occurred at No. 25 Sai Street. a four storey tenament building with wooden internal structure. The fire occurred in a drainage where a small quantity of inflammable liquid became ignited. A woman on an upper floor poured water into the drainage in order to extinguish the fire but the burning liquid splashed on to two Chinese in the yard

The fire brigade was summoned and it was found that part of the second floor was used as workshop making ink containers for fountain pens. The material used was a rubber solution which was highly inflanmable. Four gallons of the solution were found on the premires, where no fire ex-

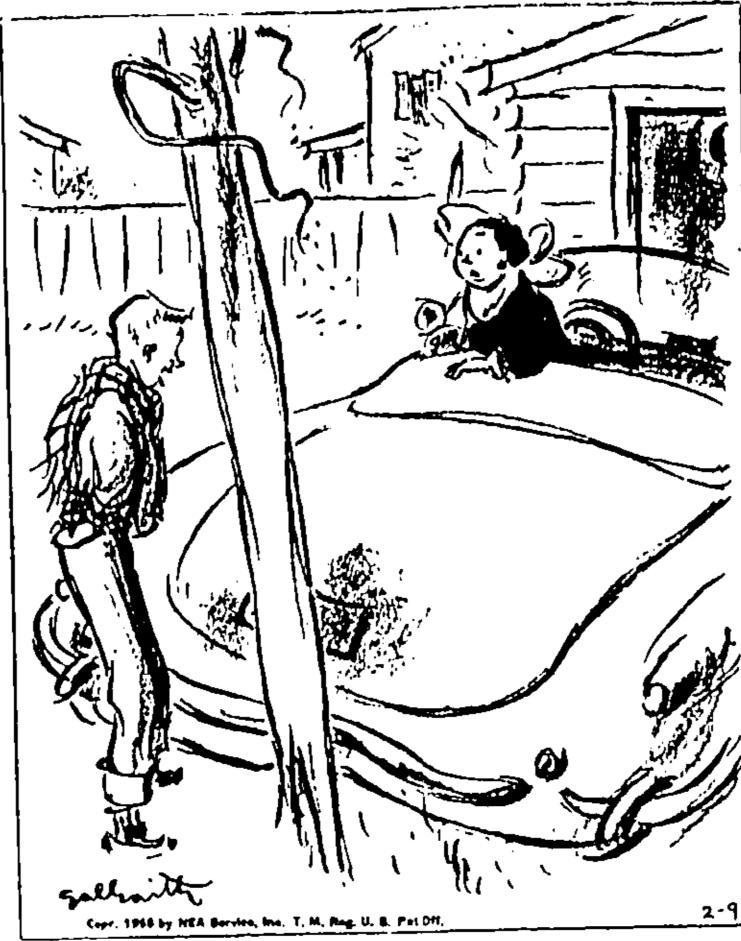
inguishers had been installed. The rubber solution was ordered to be confiscated.

Radio Hongkong

6 p.m., Time Signal and Programme Summary; 0.03, Lucky Dip—Variety Requests presented by Jean (Studio); 3.39. Weather Report: 7. Time lignoi World News (London Relay); Commentary (London Relay) or Sepcial Announcements: 7.1 the Prano (Studio); 7.30, "Twenty with their husbands or boy Questions" from the Missions to friends, Modern Moods-Peter Murinings st Question Master: Patrick Butler. The Team: Faith Butler. Dorothy Scales, John Little, Paddy (Recorded); 8, 0,30, Nights: 8.45. Studio Concert, Arrigo Fon (violin) Hu Rwong (violin) Harry Ore (piano) (Concert Hall).

London, Morch 15. Labour and management have agreed on wage increases for 250,000 enipyard workers ranging from eight to 11 shillings a week, it was amnounced, today. A similar agreement was concluded last week for workers in

By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"Good for you, mom! Now that you've put a dent in the new car, maybe dad will let me drive it!"

Loveliest

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 15. Thirty-two women who ranged in weight from 120 to 284 pounds — but who used to range a lot

higher—let the calorie bars down tonight and buttered their rolls at their own risk.

It was the annual banquet of Fat Girls Anonymous, a club whose members help each other over the pitfalls of pastry displays and talk over the reckless days when they all gulped French fries.

Star of the show was Mildred Myers, 37-year-old receptionist, who was presented the Club's anatomy award of 1954 for the best pound-shedding job. She won a trip to New Orleans, a wardrobe and a charm school scholarship.

Miss Myers is down to 121 pounds from 199 pounds in 13 months— from size 221/2 to 9. Sister club members applauded her wistfully for some of them have a long way to go, notably a 284-pounder who is just learning to check her candy-box grab in mid-reach.

OFFICIAL SONG

The festival opened with the singing of the Club's official song to the tune of the "Song of the Vagabond" thusly:

"Girls who bulge and waddle, shall we check your throttle, you were wrecked by overweight . . . slaves of bread and butter, wills as weak as rubber never will save us from our fate; diet, diet, count your colories; try it, try it, you'll lose your pounds with ease . . . sisters cased in suct, join us or you'll rue it . . . Rah, farewell and Co., and is on \$17,500 bail.

to overweight."

Then the girls pitched in, just this once, to enjoy a menu that included cocktail supreme (30 calories); spring salad calories); prime roast beef (150), baked potato (100), green beans, coffee or tea and orange sherbert. Any who didn't want to go off the low-calorie wagon could stay aboard on that menu but the naughty trimmings included hot rolls, butter and sugar and cream for the coffee.

The majority of the members considered themselves sufficiently trimmed down to take the dance floor after the banquet

LEAN HUSBANDS

Most of the woman admitted they had Jack Spratt husbands. Mrs Helen Pulnam, who organ-Harry Ore (pismo) (Concert Hall), lised the club, said her husband Pelite Suite for 2 Violins and Pismo (Harry Ore). Sonatina for Violin and Pismo (Dvorak): 9.18, Wednesday Theatre "Strife" by John Galsworthy, produced by Vivian A. Daniels (HBCTS): 10.15, Vienna Radio Symphonic Orchestra: 10.30, One Night Stand—Jan Garber and his Orch. (with vocal): 10.59, Weather Report: 17, Time Signal Radio Nows Roel (Recorded London Relay): 11.18, Goodnight Music, God Save The Queen; 11.30, Close Down. she said, when her weight employed of 37 Ko Koon Street, "You have first and fore her testimony." she said, when her weight ground floor, Macao, was sentenced 825 and was still increasing. With her, sticking prisonment by Mr Poor Yan-hot for the Crown, which are flatly question of drugging the comparison of

to know United Press,

FALSE **CHARGE**

Steven Ng. alias Ng Kwokwai, alias Ng Wai-kwok, 27 Managing Director of Wing Ping Trading Co., Ltd., and of the Go and Co. Ltd., was charged before Mr J. E. Durling at Central this morning with obtaining |cheque for \$161,290.32 false pretences.

Go pleaded not guilty and the hearing was fixed for June 13 to 17, inclusive.

Go was represented by Mr Lawrence Leong, instructed by Mr P. L. Lam, of P. L. Lam

Mr M. A. da Sliva, of M. A. da Silva and Co., appeared for the Prosecution. Go is alleged to have, between December 26, last, and January 3 this year, obtained from John for \$161,290.32 by falsely protending that the Wing Ping Frading Co. Ltd. funds immediately available the Republic of Indonesia, wherewith to pay to the representative of the John Mon-

Falsified Accounts

ners and Co. one million rupinhs

at Central this morning.

Poom took into consideration therefore have no ingredient of replied she was debilitated, late cake two years ago and had how other similar counts.

to yell to a sister fat girl for Defendant was employed as an holp. With such assistance, Mrs accountant at the Tung Dah as she described them, are so the cloth covering her face, but Putnam is down to 249. Mrs Hygenic Straw Company, of 142 inconceivably sexual acts that her arms just fell to her sides. Puntam got a letter recently Gloucester Road, ground floor, it is almost impossible to be- The Court ruised the query from Mrs Pearl Zsourck of from February 1952. From then lieve that any woman of 24—that the drug might damage suit today charging that Manchester. England addressed until June 1954, when defendant and she is not a simple count to the "Committee of Fat Ciris absconded, he made false entries try woman but had been in titude so that she could not care left her "bald as a billiard ball." and Women, care of the Mem-in the Company's cash book and. Hongkong for many years whether the doctor was having She also charged that when the Postmaster. altogether over \$9,000 was in-

morary for household expenses. Intercourse. Furthermore and was that all Along the had United Press.

COUNSEL'S SUBMISSIONS RAPE CASE APPEAL

Mr Brook A. Bernacchi submitted before the Full Court this morning that the complainant must have been lying in one Court or the other when she gave two completely different versions of what she alleged had taken place in the doctor's consulting room.

The charge was made by Counsel when he continued his submissions in the appeal brought by Dr Ng Yuk-kin, 49, medical practitioner, against his conviction on a charge of rape.

Justice), Mr Justice J. R. Gregg | was a sexual act. There were | two courts," Counsel declared. (Pulsne Judge), and Mr Justice | many actions indicative of |"In the court of trial she went senting appellant, instructed by have been heard outside," Mr M. A. da Silva. Mr W. A. Blair-Kerr, Senior Crown Counsel, is for the Crown. Detective- it was also inconceivable that (1) that she was raped because Inspector W. Watson is present the doctor would have left the she was defrauded into thinking

for the Police. grounds, mainly alleging mis- out consent, direction by the Trial Judge to | Mr Bernacchi remarked that did not resist because when her the Jury, that he had failed to the only person passing through hands fell to her sides useless put the case for the Defence the passage was the doctor's she could not move or (3) are sufficiently to the Jury, that the nurse, and said it seemed that we going to believe the third verdict was perverse against the weight of evidence, particularly mind the nurse put, and which was not put to and that the Trial Judge repeatedly, unfairly and unnecessarily interrupted Defence Coun- to the nurse that she was a she was put into a state where sel's submissions to the Jury conniving party, Mr Bernacchi she did not care whether he had whereby the continuity of his replied that he had put it to sexual connection with her or

address was broken. submissions, which he had commenced on Monday, on the individual grounds of the appeal. left the doctor and the com- effect on her when the act was He gave the Court this morning a reference dealing with the official translation of a docusubsequent appeal.

MISDIRECTION

continued: "Whereas here you no other conclusion than that she have depositions in English as a knew what was going on. It is result of competent translation, physically impossible to underand I say deliberately competent stand why she took the long way translation, because the evidence round. Of course, she is in a as adduced is that not only was difficult position as an employee. but the Crown was in a position she knew what was going on, to check it the whole time but to believe she was prepared through a Police interpreter and to close her eyes to an act of a Police officer who spoke very rape is hard to conceive and puts misdirection to repeatedly justified." suggest to the Jury that the record of the depositions could be wrong because of mistranslation in the lower court." On his fourteenth ground of

Oscar Steven Go, alias alleged misdirection to the as to evidence, Mr Bernacchi this need only be read with carlier grounds, and said point he particularly relied on was the medical evidence in relation to drugging. would deal further with point later as it was also the

subject of an application on his part to recall Dr Ozorlo. On his fifteenth ground of alleged misdirection to the Jury on points made against Counsel himself which were not taken by the Crown, Mr Bernnechi said this was not justifiable on the evidence adduced.

"PERVERSE VERDICT" ground-that verdict was perverse and against significant that the complainant addition to that concerning the weight of evidence and that at the trial denied she said she Hongkong, were believed to the learned Judge should have felt a human warmth applied to include: French import liberstopped the trini at the close of her breast and maintained that alisation should not be further the Crown's case.

consider the position from this combination of words. Quite Manners and Co. Ltd. a cheque point of view," Mr Bernecchi apart from my previous argucontinued. "Firstly, that Tam ment that the Court must accept should be maintained at the are-Shun was not consistent. She the depositions in that way, it sent level. said on several occasions in the is inconceivable to think there lower count that at the time of was a difficulty as to translation the act she thought the doctor as to account for such a com- (ndustry also asked for an exwas having sexual connection was reaving sexual confection plete change of phraseology. I tension of export aid to these with her, whereas in the Court plete change of phraseology. I tension of export aid to these of trial she maintained she did submit that she realised the not know he was having sexual significance of the evidence connection with her and that which slipped out in the lower informed quarters, she merely thought it was a court. When one has these very would be granted as from June medical examination. In the clear extracts of the evidence in and , in addition to this, the lower court she admitted know- the lower court. I submit that Vietnam. Government, would ledge of sexual matters before no Jury can come to any other grant customs preference of 15 this incident. At the trial she conclusion than that she was not to 20 per cent. denied all such knowledge, and speaking the truth when she in effect said she did not even said in the Court below that she attended of drugging: her lating that raw cotton was know what kissing was. Furtherthree had not told the Police that at again about on drugging once being bought under the worst

How could she organise a volved.

Club of 22 "stouts" in her com- Defendant told the Court this to distributing the action was

Appellant was found guilty by | in addition to that it is incon- | thought it was a medical exspecial Jury on December 13 ceivable to think that the amination, and she had no idea last year of raping Tam Shun, doctor, knowing he was deal- he was having sexual connec-24-year-old spinster, at his ing with a woman of 24, could tion. Furthermore, she said she clinic at 436 Nathan Road, first have thought it was possible did not know anything about floor, on August 28, 1954. He to deceive her in this way. You sexual matters until after all was given five years' hard have the evidence of the com- this happened labour by Mr Justice Reece. | plete openness, really, in which | "This woman, on whom the The Full Court comprised Mr | he did this. There was no | Crown case must rest, said com-Justice T.J. Gould (Acting Chief attempt to conceal from her it pletely different things in the

Wicks (Acting Puisne Judge). love-play with consent. If the back on facts she had deposed to Mr Brook Bernacchi is repre- girl had called out she would in the Magistrate's court. Is it JUDGE'S COMMENT Mr Justice Gould remarked believe? Are we going to believe

passage door open if he did it was solely a medical examina-The appeal is based on twenty have sexual intercourse with- tion or (2) that although she

apparently he knowing about it.

the mirse that she had not. There again you have to Mr Bernsechi continued his deliberately taken the long way come back to the question of round in coming back to the drugging. I submit the dose sho consulting room after she had had at the time did not have any plainant there together. "It is incomprehensible to be-

lieve that a woman would be ment, and read extracts from prepared to close her eyes to an the summing-up of a Hongkong act of rape on another woman," case and views expressed in a Counsel declared. "It is understandable whether she approved or not of an act of immorality on the part of her employer. Her Reverting to his own case, he movements that day can lead to there a sworn Court interpreter In the witness box she denied good Cantonese. I submit it is her in a far worse light than is

RAPE BY FRAUD Mr Justice Greek whether, if there was rape by kong cotton goods from the

known of it. Mr Bernacchi: "What nurse saw, if she saw anything this new competitor had which caused her to take the recently aroused considerlong way round, cannot be any able concern, well-informed thing which gave her to think it was a rape that was going on. submit that in fact it was an act of love-play, including the sexual act. That nurse could not have seen anything peculiar had drawn attention to this to suggest he was committing rape. That is why I say it is peculiar that he should have left the door open. He would not the President of the Cotton

which the learned Judge *pooh- the industry. He then dealt with his poohed, -- if one might use such the an' expression—it 'is highly mulated by the industry, in she felt his head on her chest. "I would ask the Court to This is an entirely different goods; and denied all previous knowledge of improvement in the supply of sexual matters. Add to this the raw cotton suct artificial textiles, charges of faisification of actimo of this act she believed no Jury should have in believing employed of 37 Ko Koon States and medical examination.

contradictory and must in court plainant had been asked why In possing sentenced, Mr or the other be untruthful. You sho did, not resist, and sho

morning that he had used the otherwise than an act of sexual complaints that at the trial makers and local distributors.

reasonable for that woman to be believed? What are we going to realised it was a sexual act she did not alternative which the Court has the Jury, namely, that she Asked if he had ever put it realised it was a sexual act but

committed." The hearing is proceeding.

French Ban HK Cotton

Paris, Mar. 15. The French cotton industry was reported to have asked urged exclusion of Hongfraud, the nurse would have benefit of trade liberalisation because the threat of quarters here believed.

A special mission which visited the Far East, including Hongkong, Indo-China and Japan, point, the quarters said.

The Industry, represented by have done so if it was an act of Industry's Association, applied today to the French government Counsel continued: "Coming for emergency moves to cope to the very significant denial with the serious situation within

Major recommendations forextended in cotton yarns and temporary compensation tax on hitherto liberalised cotton yarns

CUSTOMS PREFERENCE In order to avoid the full loss of the Indo-Chinese, market the

According to usually well

Finally, the industry uged

The undavourable position of the French industry has already led to the closing of about 100

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